

ROOSEVELT WROTE LETTER TO MUNSEY

IN JANUARY TOLD PUBLISHER
HE MIGHT ACCEPT IF PEOPLE
DESIRED HIM.

Former President Gives Text of Letter to Prove He is Not Breaking Promise—Says Personal Preferences Are Opposed to Being Candidate.

New York, March 5.—To refute the charge that he was breaking a promise in agreeing to accept the Republican presidential nomination if it were offered him, Col. Theodore Roosevelt today made public the full text of his letter of Jan. 16, last, to Frank A. Munsey, the publisher, the letter is quite lengthy and covered in detail various phases of the question of Col. Roosevelt's position regarding the presidential nomination. Col. Roosevelt invites particular attention to the passage in the letter in which while stating he would not be a candidate, he declared that he would not go on record as being unwilling to accept the nomination. Col. Roosevelt said in the letter that to every man he talked to he made in substance the same statement and also made it in hundreds of letters.

Preferred Not to Run.
In the letter to Mr. Munsey Col. Roosevelt said that if he should consult only his own pleasure and interest he should most emphatically and immediately announce that under no circumstances would he run.

"From every personal standpoint there is nothing for me to gain either in running for the office or in holding the office once more, and there is very much to lose," wrote Roosevelt.

Roosevelt in the Munsey letter speaks of what he considered misrepresentation and misjudgment of his position. In connection with his refusal at first to respond to demands for a certain statement that he made a positive statement as to his position. Roosevelt quotes from a letter of Lincoln in response to a correspondent's inquiry:

"I have made this explanation to you as a friend; but I wish no explanation to our enemies. What they want is a squabble and a fuss, and that they can have if we explain and they cannot have it if we don't."

Sure to Be Misjudged.

Roosevelt then says: "Nothing I could say, no statement or explanation by me, would avail to prevent deliberate misrepresentation by bad men, designed to puzzle and mislead good men who, from the nature of the case, could not be expected to have first hand information. They now misrepresent my position designedly and purposefully. They would merely misrepresent it even more effectively if I should at this time make the statement you desire. It may be that in the end it will be necessary to make such a statement or some other public statement, but it is not now."

The letter concludes:

Not Posing, He Says.

"If my position were merely a pose, I should certainly act differently from the way I am acting, for I am well aware that the way I am acting is not the way in which to act if I desire to be made president. But my attitude is not a pose, I am acting because, according to my lights I am endeavoring, in a not too easy position, to do what I believe the interests of the people demand. From this standpoint I am convinced that although it is entirely proper for any other man to seek the presidency it is neither wise nor proper for me to do so, the conditions being what they actually are. I have been president; I was president for nearly eight years, I am well known to the American people; I am to be judged not by words, but by my acts; and whether the people like me or dislike me, they have seen me act before them for their decision—and nobody, my dear sir, has helped me more than you have helped to put these acts clearly before them. My usefulness in the presidency as conditions now are would depend not merely upon the people wishing me to be president, but upon their having good reason to believe that I was president because of their wishes, because of their desire that I should do a given job, which they felt I could do better than anyone else, and not because of any personal ambition on my part. Under these circumstances I must not put myself in a position which would look as if I were seeking the office as if I were trying to get it for my own sake. I know well that this means in all probability some one else will be nominated and elected; for where others actively seek the nomination, this is a natural result. I am not actively working for them, and give the skillful direction and leadership without which even a strongly aroused public opinion generally fails to find expression. Therefore I have all along felt that if even there be a strong popular demand for me (as to which I can pass no judgment), yet that unless this demand were literally overwhelming it could hardly make itself effective. But it seems to me that it is better that it should not make itself effective rather than that by any action of mine I should make it seem that I desire the presidency for my own sake, or am willing to accept it unless it comes to me as the result of a real popular movement, giving expression to a demand for at least a substantial portion of the plain people that I should undertake a given task in the interest of the people as a whole. Before I speak there should be some tangible evidence that such is the case."

SHERMAN OPENED CAMPAIGN TUESDAY

Candidate for Senatorship Addressed Large Audience in Springfield, Made Clear Statement of His Position on Public Questions.

Springfield, March 5.—Expressing clearly his position on every live public question now before the people of the commonwealth, Lawrence V. Sherman opened his campaign for United States senator here to night at Arion hall.

As of old the speaker gave no oratorical flourishes. No bricks were hurled, Sherman utterly ignoring the candidacy of both Senator Cullom and Senator Magill in presenting his own case to the voters.

At times the candidate uncorked the ginger jar and gave utterance to many short, stinging epigrams that have always characterized his utterances. The parsimonious practices of the Democratic majority in congress in reducing the appropriations for battleships and preventing the desired addition of five cavalry regiments to the army came in for a scolding.

His position was made clear on many questions now agitating the public mind. He spoke for peace if it took war to maintain it, and declared for the direct election of United States senators, the revision of the tariff schedule by schedule, and for a corrupt practice act. His opposition to a federal inheritance tax was clear cut.

Other issues discussed by the candidate were the Payne-Aldrich tariff, arbitration treaties and the foreign policy of the government. Sherman declared his faith in popular government and deplored the baneful influence of senatorial elections exerted upon state legislatures. Speaking as a party man hopeful for the best, he urged the Republicans to unite in a work of constructive conservatism in bringing the Illinois G. O. P. back to its proper place in the nation's history.

HANISH REARRESTED

Head of "Sun Worshippers" Cult Arrested on State Warrant for Circulating Obscene Literature.

Chicago, March 5.—Immediately after he had been released on \$10,000 bonds in the federal court late today, "Dr." Ottoman Zar Adusht-Hanish, high priest of the Mazdaznan "Sun Worshippers" cult, arrested yesterday on a federal warrant charging the shipping of obscene literature by express, he was re-arrested on a state warrant sworn out by State's Attorney Wayman. Hanish was taken before Judge Goodnow, where he gave bond in the sum of \$1,000 on the state charge of possessing and circulating obscene literature. He then retired to his "temple" on the South Side, where he held a conference with friends.

Two disciples of Hanish were called before the federal grand jury as witnesses today. They were Maurice Clements, 17 years old, and his sister, Bessie Clements, 20 years old. The latter Hanish was accustomed to refer to as the "sunshine of Mazdaznan."

Dr. O. C. Phillips, secretary to Hanish, will be the first witness called before the grand jury tomorrow.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

Suit Against Woodmen of the World Developed Nothing Sensational.

Newark, N. J., March 5.—Secrets of the initiation ceremony of the Modern Woodmen of the World were not aired in court today to the apparent disappointment of a large audience which had gathered to hear the trial of John A. Hetzel's \$10,000 damages suit against the Elmfield camp of the order, only to learn that the case had been settled out of court. Hetzel sued for alleged injuries sustained during an initiation in August, 1910. The case came up in the circuit court and a jury was obtained without difficulty. Before the trial got under way, however, counsel announced that an agreement had been reached. It was reported that Hetzel received \$500 in cash and compensation in another form, which swelled the sum that Hetzel alleged that during his initiation he was struck across the small of the back with a slapstick, which contained a blank cartridge. As a result of the cartridge having been improperly placed in the slapstick, he claimed wadding and powder were blown in his body, causing injuries from which he still suffers.

HONORS FOR BACON.

Paris, March 5.—Many distinguished citizens of France, including President Dubout, united today in an imposing expression of regret at the departure of Ambassador and Mrs. Bacon, when a special session of the inter-parliamentary arbitration group was held in honor of the ambassador. Baron D'Estournelles de Constant presided and voiced France's regret at Ambassador Bacon's departure, saying that he had won the esteem of all French people.

PHYSICIAN LOSTS MIND.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 5.—Dr. D. W. Belshe, whose disappearance from Trenton, Mo., for four days has been a great mystery, was found late this afternoon in a pasture near town, eating corn from shocks. His mind appears to be totally gone.

DELEGATES FAVOR TAFT.

Red Oak, Iowa, March 5.—The Montgomery county Republican convention here today chose delegates to the state convention said to favor the nomination of President Taft, but did not instruct them.

ROOSEVELT FINDS ANOTHER PROOF

MADE CONTRIBUTION TO CAMPAIGN LITERATURE.

Gave Out Letter He Wrote Last January to Publisher Munsey Regarding Acceptance of Nomination—Hopes It Will Settle Question.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., March 5.—Reports that the Roosevelt movement was making steady progress were brought to Col. Roosevelt today and when he returned to Oyster Bay to night from New York he had the air of a man well satisfied with the day's work.

In addition to hearing the situation in various sections described by his visitors, Col. Roosevelt made a lengthy contribution to the campaign literature of the day. He gave out a letter which he wrote last January to Frank A. Munsey, the publisher, in which he said that while he would not be a candidate for the nomination in 1912 he would not make a statement which would make it difficult for him to accept the nomination. Col. Roosevelt expressed the hope that this would go a long way toward settling the question whether he had broken his word by saying last week that he would accept the nomination if it were offered him. The point to which the colonel called attention was that while he had said he would not be a candidate for the nomination he was saying at the time that he would not withdraw himself definitely from the field. He takes the ground that it involved no change of position therefore, for him to announce his readiness to accept the nomination.

The colonel was asked whether he was going to the Chicago convention to fight it out.

"Why, no," he responded. "I haven't even thought of it; of course not."

He said, too, that he had no intention of attending the New York state convention at Rochester.

CLASH OVER FREE SUGAR BILL

Martin of Colorado Severely Criticizes Attitude of Representative Garner.

Washington, March 5.—A spirited clash among Democratic members over the free sugar tariff bill reported to day marked consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill. Representative Garner of Texas, Democrat, sought to have adopted an amendment to the agricultural measure providing \$5,000 for investigation and experiments with sugar producing plants in the Rio Grande valley in Texas.

Representativeartin of Colorado, Democrat, offered a sub-amendment to grant that amount to the state of Colorado. He arraigned Representative Garner for endeavoring to curtail political favor with his constituents at the expense of the government.

"My friend from Texas," said Representative Martin, "realizing that his support of the free sugar bill, 'bunk' political measure, is indefensible hopes to restore himself to the favor of his constituents by going home with \$5,000 in government money in his vest pocket with which to pursue an inquiry into the industry his bill would destroy."

Mr. Garner declared the criticism unfair and "wholly unjustifiable," charging that in refusing to vote for the sugar revision bill Mr. Martin had betrayed his party.

Both amendments and two similar ones offered by Mr. Mondell of Wyoming and Mr. Leever of South Carolina were voted down. The incident was smoothed over by an apology by Mr. Martin.

SEEK TO GET MONEY FOR STATE.

Claim That Mrs. Eddy's Will Is in Violation of New Hampshire Law.

Concord, N. H., March 5.—A petition to have the residuary estate of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church, revert to the state of New Hampshire, will be filed soon in the Merrimack county superior court. In making this announcement in the supreme court to day Robert L. Manning of Manchester, special counsel for the state, said that the petition would be based on the ground that the residuary clause of Mrs. Eddy's will, leaving the residue of her estate, estimated at about \$2,000,000, to the "First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, in violation of New Hampshire law and therefore void.

DELEGATES FOR TAFT.

New York, March 5.—The Republican state committee has received official reports of congressional district meetings in forty of New York's forty-three districts and announcement was made today by Secretary Gleason that at least thirty-six of the districts had designated as candidates for delegates to the Chicago convention supporters of President Taft. Candidates from four districts are Roosevelt supporters. Three districts have not been heard from but their delegates were claimed for Taft.

Constantinople, March 5.—The

Porte has notified the powers that be that the Dardanelles will henceforth be closed at night time to all navigation.

TUESDAY IN CONGRESS.

Met at noon.

After routine business, took up British and French arbitration treaties for final action before adjournment of the legislative day, which may continue over several calendar days.

Senator Polindexter unsuccessfully sought consideration of his Lawrence strike investigation resolution.

Steel tariff revision bill hearing resumed by Finance committee with clock and electric machinery manufacturers protesting against reductions.

Senate recessed at 4:30 p. m., until 12:30 p. m., Wednesday.

Met at noon.

Mrs. Taft attended Lawrence strike hearing and listened to tales of cruelty told to rules committee.

Former Indian Commissioner Leupp's methods were considered at White Earth allotment investigation resumed before expenditures committee.

Ways and means committee favorably reported sugar tariff revision bill. Excise bill providing income tax will be reported later.

Considered agricultural appropriation bill, unanimously passed resolution for investigation of alleged shipping trust by merchant marine committee.

Representative Sulzer, urged before territories committee that the government build and operate railroads throughout Southwest Alaska and engage in coal business.

Representative Clark attacked Gov. Gilchrist of Florida for his attitude toward everglades investigation.

Representative Burnett declared if battleship appropriations were restored to Democratic program, public building bill must also be restored.

Plans for money trust investigation were finished by banking committee.

Southern Pacific and Pacific Mail representatives urged placing Panama canal rates in hands of interstate commerce commission.

Adjourned at 5:31 p. m. after session Wednesday.

MAY ACT ON TREATIES TODAY

Indications Are That Peace Measure Will Be Approved in the Senate.

Washington, March 5.—Four hours debate in the senate today seemed to indicate that the pending arbitration treaties with England and France probably would be ratified late to morrow. The ratification will be the consummation of what many statesmen view as the first great move toward universal peace.

The target for the opponents of the treaties is the much discussed treaty 3 of article 3. Some senators hold that this section delegates treaty making powers of the senate to a joint high commission. Around this clause rages the running fire of amendments, ratification resolutions and the real fight upon the treaties themselves.

Senator Lodge stated to night that he expected a vote to morrow (and while the vote on the committee amendment proposing to strike out clause 3 from the treaties, probably would be close, he believed, and the treaties unamended would be ratified with his resolution.

AUDITOR GIVES POSTOFFICE FACTS.

Says Report Showing a Surplus Is Correct—Moon Committee Made Wrong Comparison.

Washington, March 5.—The house postoffice committee's report that the postoffice department really had a deficit of \$627,845.94 instead of a surplus of \$219,118.12 for the fiscal year 1911 drew a reply from Auditor Kram of the Postoffice to day.

Mr. Kram says the Moon committee asked for and received figures showing the postoffice's total receipts from July 1, 1910, to Jan. 30, 1911, and its total disbursements from July 1, 1910, to Feb. 17, 1912. Those figures, he says, compared the receipts of twelve months with the disbursements of nineteen months and seventeen days.

"The statement in the auditor's report that the postoffice had a surplus of \$219,118.12 on June 30, 1911, was correct," said the auditor in a statement to day. "That amount this time has been increased \$35,000."

MUST APPEAR IN INDIANAPOLIS

Chicago, March 5.—John W. Irwin, formerly of Peoria, Ill., a structural iron worker, indicted at Indianapolis as a result of the federal dynamite investigation, waived extradition when his case was called before United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote late today. He was ordered to appear at Indianapolis March 12 for arraignment.

ARMY CHANGES.

Washington, March 5.—Carrying out the theory upon which it was founded that the general staff of the army should be kept supplied with new blood by continually displacing the officers who have seen four years service by men called in from the field, nearly two dozen changes in that body were announced today. These changes include the addition of four lieutenant colonels, four majors and twelve captains.

STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION

NEXT SHOW WILL BE HELD
JAN. 6 TO 11, 1913.

W. O. Chase of Hillsboro Will Be Superintendent—D. T. Helmlich Chosen as One of Speakers to Represent Poultry Men at Farmers' Institutes.

Springfield, March 5.—W. O. Chase of Hillsboro was chosen superintendent of the next show to be given by the Illinois Poultry association in this city Jan. 6 to 11, 1913.

At a meeting of the board of directors to day Dr. E. C. White of this city was elected superintendent of transportation; Charles Barling, Springfield, plover superintendent; Edward Brown, Mendota, superintendent of egg and market poultry department; John Henry Lynch of Edwardsville, superintendent of incubators and poultry appliances, and H. C. Wilbitt of Greenfield, superintendent of institutes.

Speakers to represent the poultry association at Farmers' and Poultry Men's institutes in the state in the course of the coming year were chosen as follows:

- D. T. Helmlich, Jacksonville.
- J. H. Roby, Fairfield.
- E. T. Thompson, Champaign.
- F. C. Hare, Quincy.
- D. E. Hale, Quincy.
- J. F. Mingo, Chicago Heights.
- William Osborne, Morris.
- Dr. E. C. White, Springfield.
- H. C. Wilbitt, Greenfield.
- John Henry Lynch, Edwardsville.
- W. O. Chase, Hillsboro.
- George A. Healy, Washington.
- Thos. S. McCoy, Springfield.
- J. M. Rapp, La Moine.
- J. A. Leland, Springfield.
- J. C. Johnstone, Petersburg.
- J. F. Schureman, Geneseo.
- O. L. McCord, Danville.
- Prof. D. O. Baro, Champaign.
- E. Potter, Downers Grove.

MILL STRIKE INQUIRY.

Lynch Testifies Before House Rules Committee.

Washington, March 5.—C. F. Lynch, commissioner of public safety at Lawrence, Mass., who has charge of the police department there, today told the house rules committee which is hearing testimony on conditions in the mill strike in that city that he did not know by what authority of law, women with babies in arms had been taken to the police station after the riot at the depot. Under questioning by Representative Stanley, Lynch said none of the parents of the children had appealed to him against their being taken away, but he understood from one of his police captains that all of them did not have permission to leave.

The child strikers, who were brought on before the committee to testify, concluded their testimony today.

Max Gogarty of Philadelphia, a witness yesterday, recalled today, testified that he had seen babies, boys and girls in the cells locked up. Women arrested in the riot, he said, had been fined \$1 for blocking the streets. Other witnesses told of alleged mistreatment by soldiers.

Mrs. William H. Taft attended the hearing and gave close attention to the testimony of the riot at the station.

PINCHOT DENOUNCES TAFT.

Pinchot, N. D., March 5.—Clifford Pinchot, former chief forester, tonight, for the second consecutive day, threw down the gauntlet in North Dakota in behalf of Col. Roosevelt, candidate for the Republican nomination for president. Pinchot denounced the Taft reciprocity measure as unfair and purely political.

Senator Brown, who follows Pinchot, spoke in favor of La Follette's nomination and expressed the opinion that the Wisconsin senator would be nominated and elected.

ORGANIZE FOR TAFT.

Concord, N. H., March 5.—The Taft league of New Hampshire was organized at a meeting of Republicans from all parts of the state here today. Resolutions declaring for the re-election of President Taft were adopted. A letter endorsing the movement, signed by the senators and congressmen from this state, was read.

GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY.

Centerville, Iowa, March 5.—A. C. Croft, of Moulton, Iowa, pleaded guilty to day of conspiracy in the Moulton arson case. He was indicted for arson and conspiracy in the burning of the A. C. Croft & company elevator last August, on which there was \$16,500 insurance. The arson charge was dismissed and he was sentenced to three years at Fort Madison.

THE LEWIS TRIAL.

St. Louis March 5.—The first day of testimony taking in the case of the government against E. G. Lewis, charged with fraudulent use of the mails, was taken up with the identification of documents which will play an important part in the hearing before Judge Amidon in the United States district court here.

SCHMITZ SET FREE.

San Francisco, March 5.—Eugene E. Schmitz, former mayor of San Francisco, who was indicted in May 1907, on charges of having bribed a supervisor in the so-called gas case, was set free today by a superior court jury, acting under instructions from Judge William P. Lawler.

OPERATOR REFUSE MINERS DEMANDS

Strike May Come in Anthracite Coal Fields—Committee May Make New Proposition to Miners.

New York, March 5.—The anthracite coal miners' demands for increased pay, recognized by the union, a shorter working day and other changes were unanimously rejected this afternoon by 47 operators.

The operators adjourned since after appointing a committee to acquaint the United Mine Workers of America with their decision. This committee was clothed with full power to act and will formulate its reply Monday for presentation to the miners March 13.

The decisive action of the operators was unexpected. It was believed that a compromise course would be suggested. After the meeting, however, one of the operators declared that the action would not prevent the committee from making a counter proposition to the miners.

The belief is growing among the operators that there will be no general strike of the 150,000 men in the Pennsylvania fields affected by the decision, he said, but the operators would rather face a general strike than wage advances of 20 percent, and in consequence he compelled to increase the price of coal.

President John P. White of the United Mine Workers of America who presented the demands to the operators, has been expected to remain here to day to keep in touch with the situation, but it was learned that he will not visit New York until shortly before the conference of March 13. None of the miners' union officials was in the city to night.

TEST BY PRIMARIES IS PROPOSED.

Senator Dickson Sends Challenge to Congressman McKinley.

Washington, March 5.—Senator Joseph M. Dickson, chairman of the Roosevelt executive committee, to day challenged the Taft campaign forces to a test by means of primaries in every state in the union.

Senator Dickson conveyed the proposal in a letter to Representative William B. McKinley, director of the national Taft bureau.

Mr. McKinley to night sent a letter to Senator Dickson asking if the proposal were made with the authority of Col. Roosevelt and also asking if Senator Dickson was acting as chairman of the Roosevelt executive committee either by selection or authority of the colonel.

KIMMEL HEARING ENDS IN MISTRIAL.

St. Louis, March 5.—The third hearing of the Kimmel identity mystery and insurance hearing ended in a mistrial this afternoon when the jury, which has been out 73 hours, was discharged by Federal Judge Amidon. The judge's action was taken after jurors had made statements which showed not only that there was no hope of agreement but that bitter personal animosity was developing between two factions of the jury.

The jury at the finish and through most of the recent balloting stood 9 to 3 for the plaintiff.

HOPEFUL STRIKE WILL END.

London, March 5.—While the many meetings held during the day by the different parties most closely concerned in the coal strike were without result, it was reported tonight that the efforts of the conciliation committee promise a reasonable prospect of the resumption of the negotiations tomorrow looking to settlement with some hope of success.

Nothing definite can be ascertained as to the indications point to a more conciliatory attitude all round, and it is said that the government is hopeful that the strike will end within a week.

DIED SUDDENLY.

Chicago, March 5.—W. F. Mayhew, 70 years old, head of a stock brokerage firm, dropped dead in his office to day. Mr. Mayhew had just started to give an order over the telephone when he was seized with heart attack.

MANY LEAVE SCHOOL.

Elgin, Ill., March 5.—The high cost of living compelled 158 eighth and ninth grade grammar school pupils in this city to quit school and go to work during 1911, according to figures given out here to day by Superintendent of Schools R. I. White. In each case, Mr. White said, the pupil informed him that parents were unable, on an average, longer to keep them in school. Half the number were girls.

PROTEST BEARS FRUIT.

Washington, March 5.—Grain dealers and producers here to protest against the application of the pure food and drugs act to shipments of grain were given virtual assurance today by Secretary of War and Navel that the act would be suspended to relieve the present situation. Secretary Nagel expressed doubt if the act were intended to apply to grain in its natural state.

STEEL TARIFF HEARING.

Washington, March 5.—The senate finance committee today resumed hearings on the house steel tariff revision bill. The committee expects to close its hearings tomorrow. Today a number of manufacturers testified in opposition to the bill.

NATIONAL CIVIC FEDERATION

ANNUAL CONVENTION OF ORGANIZATION HELD.

Speakers Attack Order of Postoffice Department Prohibiting Employees to Appeal on Questions of Wages and Conditions.

Washington, March 5.—The postoffice department was a target for prominent speakers at the twelfth annual convention of the National Civic Federation, which began here today.

Attacks on the executive order which prohibits the appeal of government employees to congress or congressmen in questions affecting wages and working conditions were made by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Representative Lloyd of Missouri, member of the house committee on postoffices and post roads.

Second Assistant Postmaster General Joseph M. Stewart, who had preceded those speakers, returned to the platform and vigorously defended the department and the postmaster general.

A lively colloquy which ensued between Mr. Stewart, Mr. Gompers and Mr. Lloyd over the interpretation of the order was terminated abruptly by the chairman ruling the proceeding out of order.

"No other department of the government has dreamed of carrying out to the letter this order," declared Mr. Gompers. "The postoffice has not only dreamed of it, but has actually made a nightmare over it."

Representative Lloyd declared the policy of appealing to congress through superior officers to be ineffective.

Cardinal Gibbons, who presided at the morning session, spoke on the relation of capital to labor, their interdependence on each other and the growing power of union labor in its demands for betterment of working conditions and higher wages.

Seth Low, president of the federation, and Judge Knapp of the United States commerce court, discussed labor conditions and the gradual tendency of both both parties to arbitration disputes.

A paper on the recent strike of the street cleaners of New York, prepared by Commissioner Edwards, was read.

BOENER'S TRIAL.

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HALF A CENTURY AGO.

A copy of the Jacksonville Journal of March 3, 1862, has been loaned the Journal by Squire Henderson and from it some items are taken. On the first page are two poems and then comes a story of Waterloo written by a man who stood recently on the battlefield and indulged in some flights of fancy. Then comes something over a column devoted to the imaginary advertisement of an honest rumseller who goes on to tell about his business as it really is. He advertises to take innocent youths and make them beasty drunkards; to corrupt husbands and fathers; to make paupers for the people to support; and all that he may have money.

In one column is a special message from President Lincoln to congress urging that body to adopt a resolution declaring that the United States should co-operate with any state that desired to undertake the gradual abolition of slavery. The words of the message are well worth carefully perusing. Several other noteworthy articles are on the first page.

The names in the advertisements bring many old time citizens to mind. McElroy & Owen, book and variety store, say they will sell for cash only; W. Tandy advertises a photograph gallery in the second story of the building now occupied by J. Herman. Wm. Thomas, master in chancery, announces a sale; Mathers & Wardworth advertise hardware; Henry Rice, a temple of

fashion for ready-made clothing; D. M. Knowles, wholesale wines and liquors; M. B. Harden, Howe's standard scales; W. C. Woodman, the Philadelphia store in the room now occupied by J. A. Obermeyer & Son; Wolf's dry goods emporium offers 20 per cent off purchases; other advertisers are W. W. White, dyer; Rawley's Ready Relief, patent medicine; C. K. Sawyer, dentist; Wm. H. Broadwell, agricultural implements; Catlin & Co., books and stationery; J. Kibbe, dry goods; Brooke & Fowler, agricultural implements; W. K. Dewey, east dry goods; C. Sanderson & John Porter announce dissolution of partnership; J. C. Moore, oil paintings, photographs, black & white; J. C. Moore, black & white; T. Newman, groceries; Dolyns & Co., boots and shoes; and many others.

An interesting article is a tribute to the memory of R. R. Upham's brother, Abner, who was killed in battle.

Prominence is given to the anti-slavery ticket for the spring election and the names of the candidates for trustees are:

E. Walcott, O. D. Fitzsimmons, William Branson, Benj. P. Gass, Edward Lambert, a collection of names of which any place might well be proud. The paper is intensely patriotic and extols the cause of the union as was to be expected. Its editorials and all its articles breathe a spirit of devotion to the union and as a whole it is very interesting especially to

those who remember many of the persons whose names appear in the columns.

If you are looking for quality and first class tailoring in ready to wear garments at lowest prices. Go to Herman's.

SAW GRAND OPERA.

W. T. Brown has received a letter from his daughter, Miss Hazel, who is teaching music at Clree, Ark., stating that a short time since she chaperoned nine young lady pupils to Helena to witness a grand opera and though the responsibilities weighed rather heavily, she succeeded in discharging the arduous duties to the eminent satisfaction of all concerned.

Lambertville, only snapproof boots \$4.50, at Hopper's.

RECALLS STORMS.

C. R. (Biggs) Taylor was speaking yesterday of snow and storms and said he well remembered March 27, 1874, when there was sixteen inches of snow on a level. Probably the worst spring in the history of the state was that of 1881 when in April the railroads were seriously impeded by snow in April.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Don't buy your new spring suit until you have seen and priced one at suit.

Knives will sell you a ready-made or tailor suit at right prices.

PUBLIC SALE WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

George H. Middleton, Residing East of Jacksonville, Disposed of Large Amount of Belongings.

It is estimated that nearly 800 people attended the public sale of George H. Middleton, at his residence, one mile east of Jacksonville, Tuesday. Although the roads were not in the best of condition, it did not keep at home the various buyers and they were present from all parts of the country, some many miles away. Mr. Middleton took particular pains to see that his sale was well advertised and not only had the usual sale bills printed, but also occupied an entire page of Sunday morning's Journal, which was the occasion of considerable comment among the farmers and really set a precedent for advertising sales in this section of the state. He had on the list of animals to offer to the highest bidder "One Five-Toed Hog," and everyone was anxious to see the hog and much speculation was rife as to the purchaser. The animal was knocked down to William Farnsworth for \$14.

Some of the prices which prevailed and the purchasers were: One span of mules, \$457.50, Charles Magill; one span of mules, \$450; Henry Richardson; one span mules, \$390, Charles Beerup; one span of mules, \$340, John Pate; one mule, \$180, Harry Norris; one horse, \$175, Charles Beerup; one driving mare, \$165, William Hadden. Other horses brought from \$20 to \$180. Cows brought from \$16 to \$58. Henry Richardson buying ten head; Walter Farnsworth, four head; Robert Allen, of Riggs, two head; James and Edward Robinson, who have recently returned from Nebraska, four head.

Brood sows brought from \$15 to \$24; shoats, \$7 to \$8.25; hay, 75c to 87½c per bale; oats, 56c to 59c per bushel.

Farming implements commanded extra good prices and Mr. Middleton had a large quantity to pick from. One gasoline engine was purchased by James Groves for \$400. Also a McEntyre automobile was purchased by Joe Parker.

J. G. Cox and C. Justus Wright were the auctioneers, with Homer H. Potter and John W. Lazenby as clerks. The Ladies' Aid society of the Point M. E. church served lunch all day and realized the neat sum of \$60.

Mr. Middleton expressed himself as well pleased with his sale and the manner in which it was handled. The receipts were over \$8,000. He intends to leave in about ten days for Clairmont, Fla.

EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE MET.

The district committee of the Educational Forward Movement of the Illinois M. E. conference, held a meeting Tuesday afternoon at Centenary church. The committee made tentative plans for the campaign in the district. The plan is to hold the preliminary meetings in April and make the general canvass in June. The committee for this district is composed of District Supt. A. A. White, chairman; Dr. J. R. Harker, Rev. J. W. Miller, Rev. Dr. P. A. McCarty, Edwin Beggs, of Ashland; E. K. Metcalf, of Greenfield; O. T. Pearl of Carrollton and F. L. Draper of Kilmourne. Not all were present at the meeting Tuesday.

The largest and best assortment of up to date millinery at bedrock prices now on sale. AT HERMAN'S.

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Everybody likes to build, but nobody likes "repair jobs." They inevitably represent an additional investment without any addition to value. That point is worth digesting.

When you build, whatever you build, you like to build "for keeps."

Some people change their minds about styles in building; the same as wearables; our tastes develop and result in changes in our wants, but nobody changes his or her mind as to wishing to get the greatest possible endurance

or wear out of the things they buy, and especially is this true of building investments.

Those who build for time have a care in the selection of lumber. We had this in mind in buying our extensive lumber stock, and we would be pleased with a chance to give you a figure on whatever lumber bill you may have in mind. The prices named will be satisfactory and the **lumber quality** will more than meet your expectations.

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WEIGH YOURSELF BEFORE USING.

Weigh yourself before commencing to use Samose, the great flesh forming food. The wonderful sale of this preparation since first introduced in Jacksonville and the remarkable results, following its use have made Coover & Shreve such enthusiastic believers. In the great value of Samose that they give their personal guarantee to refund the money if Samose will not make thin people fat and restore strength and health to those who use it.

This is a strong guarantee, but they have seen so many of their customers who a few weeks ago looked like walking skeletons become plump and well, solely through the use of Samose, that they feel they cannot say too much to induce people to try it.

This marvelous flesh forming food is assimilated as soon as it is taken into the stomach makes good, rich blood, tones up the weakened system, helps to assimilate the food and makes the user plump, well and rosy.

HOW TO GAIN HEALTHY FLESH.

Coover & Shreve Advise Thin Folks to Use Samose.

While thinness may not be a disease, yet it is in reality a condition that needs attention. Under the nourishing power of Samose healthy, natural flesh will soon be attained. This remarkable flesh forming food strengthens the system generally and builds up the fleshy tissues so that the good natural plumpness results.

An ounce of flesh is better than a pound of theory. Coover & Shreve believe that the best possible demonstration of the flesh forming powers of Samose is to have it tried by their customers and not to induce them to use it if they offer to pay for the Samose in case it does not give satisfaction. No stronger proof than this can be given of their faith in it. They have seen hundreds who were weak, thin and scrawny, become plump, robust and strong, solely through the use of Samose. Ten days' treatment for 50c.

THIN FOLKS MADE FAT.

Good, healthy flesh can only be gained by the use of the proper food, together with natural action. Nine people out of ten in order to weigh as much as they ought and be perfectly healthy, should use Samose, the great flesh forming food and health restorer. Weigh yourself before commencing to take these little capsules and see how your weight increases from week to week. Large box for \$1.00.

Samose does not contain a particle of starch or pepsin, nor is it any nauseating preparation, such as is usually recommended to make people fat and which does not build up good healthy tissues. Samose has valuable flesh forming properties, tones up and strengthens the whole system, helps the food that is eaten to be assimilated in a natural manner and absolutely restores health to all organs.

If you are not perfectly satisfied with the result from Samose Coover & Shreve will return your money without quibbling.

INSPIRING SERVICE

Many Families Heard Excellent Sermons Tuesday Night on "Home" at Northminster Church—Reception Tonight.

Perhaps the most inspiring service of the great revival at Northminster church was the one held Tuesday night, when the audience was seated by families and Rev. Mr. Spoonits, the faithful pastor, and Rev. Mr. Root of White Hall, delivered forceful and soul warming addresses on "The Home." The request had been sent out several days in advance that those who attended the service should come by families and some had spoken to the ushers to reserve pews for them and their children. The efficient corps of ushers did well in seating the audience, so that the members of the same family were in pews together.

The singing last night was full of spirit and power. Luther Smith led the audience and the two great choirs in a rousing song service. Rev. Mr. Spoonits paid a deserved tribute to the Orphean quartet and announced that at 7:30 Sunday evening the quartet would have full charge of the service. This was greeted with prolonged applause. The young men sang last night "Where Is My Wandering Boy," and by request the children sang "The Little Brown Church in the Vale." The audience was moved Tuesday night as it has never been moved before. Many hearts were touched as the minister told of the beauties of the home and then drew sad pictures of the time when that sacred place, once happy and cheerful, was made dismal by the sins of a son or daughter. When the invitation was given a number went forward to begin the better life and many pledged themselves to kindle again the flames of worship on the altar in the home.

Tonight a reception will be given those who have come into the church through the revival. Following a brief sermon by the pastor, a social hour will be spent and the ladies of the church will serve refreshments.

FERRANTI PLEASED AUDIENCE. Ferranti, the magician, appeared before a good audience Tuesday night in the Congregational church, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., this being one of the regular attractions in the lecture course. Ferranti is one of the best in legions and his work last night was strictly first class.

Edward Laboyteaux returned Tuesday from Spokane, Wash., where he has been for the past few days.

GOLD DUST digs deep after germs

Gold Dust not only cleans but sterilizes.

Soap merely washes over the surface, leaving a greasy film behind it.

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Soap needs muscle help; Gold Dust does all the hard part of the task without your assistance.

Gold Dust is a good, honest, vegetable-oil soap, to which are added other purifying materials in just the right proportions to cleanse easily, vigorously, and without harm to fabric, utensils or hand.

Gold Dust is sold in 5c size and large packages. The large package means greater economy.



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BLUE RIBBON CORN. The finest packed in the state. Young, sweet, clean, tender and easy to digest. Reduce the cost of living, 10c per can.	Perfection of the miller's art is this Perfection Pearl Corn Meal. Price 4c up 25c per 50 lb. sack. We offer on early purchase 10 lb sack for 40c.	BLUE RIBBON SPINACH. The best ever packed. A box of green spinach in every can. Large No. 2 tins. Notice our price, only 15c.	BLUE RIBBON PUMPKIN. Bake perfect pies without eggs. Blue Ribbon Pumpkin will do the work without them. Our price, 15c, 2 for 25c.
No. 3 tins. Our price only 25c. "ORIOLE" CUT ASPARAGUS. Very finest, packed in large cans.	Roberts Famous Blends We are just proud of Roberts Blended Coffees, they give satisfaction, and we know they are right. Blend No. 1—Listen, Roberts' Blend No. 1 Roast Coffee makes 50 per cent more liquor than the mild, cheap characterless coffees, and Oh! such liquor. Price only 45 cents per pound. Blend No. 2—We consider this blend the most pleasing flavor and the greatest strength that is possible to produce for the price. A perfect blend and only 40 cents per pound. Blend No. 3—Much like our Blend No. 2, a fine, rich coffee and one that pleases coffee lovers. Always the same and one of our best sellers. Price, only 37½ cents. Blend No. 4—A very satisfying flavored coffee. Large handsome beans and very rich cup quality. Our Big Leader. This blend we recommend to coffee lovers for a universal satisfying cup of good coffee. Price only 35 cents per pound. Blend No. 5—Beautiful, large, handsome bean and very rich in cup quality. Another of our big leaders. Price only three pounds for \$1.00. BLEND NO. 6—OUR CHEAPEST COFFEE (BUT BY NO MEANS IS IT THE CHEAPEST COFFEE TO BE HAD). BLEND NO. 6 IS A TRUE BLEND OF OLD CROP COFFEE, A COFFEE SMOOTH AND RICH IN FLAVOR, A COFFEE BOUGHT EARLY AND SOLD ACCORDINGLY. OUR BIGGEST SELLER. PRICE ONLY 28 CENTS.		
FLOUR. Sleepy Eye. No better flour milled. Perfect for baking. One year of this famous flour. Per barrel \$4.50 1/2 barrel \$3.50 1/4 barrel \$1.85 1/8 barrel \$.95	SEED POTATOES. We bought largely of Early Rose and Early Ohio seed potatoes. They are fine Northern potatoes and we advise immediate purchases before prices advance.	OLD FASHIONED Buckwheat Flour, eat it now, while you can enjoy it. Packed in 50c sacks.	THE CHEESE YOU LIKE. You can certainly find the cheese you like in our extensive cheese stock. Be it of imported or domestic, we have it.
BLUE RIBBON. Whole sweet potatoes. Packed in the state where sweet potatoes have the flavor. Large No. 2 tins 15c.	ORIOLE PANCAKE and Self-rising Buckwheat Flour, large packages 10c.	"BEECHNUT" BACON. Sweet as a nut. "You can't mistake the Beech Nut flavor," and here is your chance to reduce the cost more than 50 per cent. Beech Nut Bacon, 30c per pound by the piece.	OLD FASHIONED New Orleans Molasses still on tap, only 60c per gal.

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CITY AND COUNTY

SWALES, sight specialist, 8, Main.

John W. Robb of Mason City was in the city yesterday.

C. A. Sheppard left yesterday for St. Louis on business.

Leslie Dodsworth of Franklin was a city caller yesterday.

C. C. Young of Arcadia was in the city Tuesday on business.

Len Glider of Crackers Bend was a Tuesday visitor in the city.

Mrs. Charles Baker of Chapin was shopping in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. T. N. Rose of White Hall was shopping in the city yesterday.

Leslie Kennett of Alexander was in the city Tuesday on business.

Mrs. J. B. Perkins of Franklin was shopping in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Ora Valentine of Concord was shopping in the city Tuesday.

Father Maguire of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Della Goodpasture of Concord was a city shopper yesterday.

Harry Oakes of Bluffs was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. L. Roy-Branom of Franklin was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Jennie Morris of Franklin was shopping in the city Tuesday.

James K. Henry of Winchester was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ralnes have returned to White Hall, after a visit of a few days with friends in the city.

Mrs. J. P. Gibbons of Upper Alton is visiting in the city with her father William Fanning.

John T. Evans of Peoria is in the city for a visit of a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen D. Evans of South East street.

Judge O. P. Thompson is presiding at court in Springfield this week.

Fred White, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Charles Cox, left Tuesday for Chicago.

Daniel Gee of Aurora, Ill., representing the Sawyer Shirt company, was in the city Tuesday on business.

W. P. Smith of Monticello was among the visitors in the city Tuesday.

William N. McCullen of Carrollton transacted business in the city yesterday.

C. L. Beerup of Franklin was among the Tuesday business callers in the city.

Mrs. John Gill and daughter, Mary Lois, of La Harpe, Ill., have returned to their home after a visit with Mrs. Gill's brother, Dr. George Stacey.

C. M. Coons, from northeast of the city was among the Jacksonville visitors yesterday.

Carl Thornley of Arenzville was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Richard Oxley of Pisgah was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. R. Y. Gibson of the Pisgah neighborhood was shopping in the city yesterday.

Raymond Timberman of Albion, Iowa, is visiting with relatives and friends in the city.

Lewis Crawford of Clayton is spending a few days in the city with friends.

Frank Holliday of Chapin was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Annie Hinrichsen of Alexander was visiting Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Thomas and Walter Russell and George Sedman all expected to leave last evening for Saskatoon, Canada, to try their fortunes. They had nothing definite in mind, but trust in a new country to find profitable openings for young men.

A. E. Petefish of Springfield was in the city yesterday enroute to the bedside of his father, A. W. Petefish, who is ill at his home in Litter, Ill.

R. E. Timmerman of Albia, Ia., is visiting his mother, Mrs. George Gilbert, and husband, west of the city.

George Dalton of Franklin was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Joseph Zellar of Alexander was one of the business men in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Brownlow and Miss Mildred Gordon of Beardstown were shoppers in the city yesterday.

Elmer Floyd of Hersman was transacting business in the city Tuesday.

Lewis Hackman of Arenzville was among the Tuesday business visitors in Jacksonville.

Chris Horner of the Orleans neighborhood was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Miss Nell Reaugh of Collinsville is expected in the city in the latter part of the week to remain over Sunday.

John T. Ridgway of Palmyra has returned to his home after a visit with his daughters, Mrs. A. A. Wood of West Morton avenue and Miss Anna Wood of Passavant hospital. He expects to leave shortly for Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Madison of Virginia were in the city yesterday, making preparations to remove from Cass county to a farm northeast of our city. The Journal hopes they will find Morgan county every way pleasant and profitable.

The popular clothing store of S. S. Knoles is being fixed up in various ways. The show windows are being reconstructed and improved, while the interior is to be treated to paint and various adornments and additions, which will materially add to its attractiveness.

John Asplund of Little Indian is a patient at Our Savior's hospital where he underwent an operation Tuesday. He is doing as well as could be expected and hopes to be about in due season.

Lambertville-only snagproof boots, \$4.50, at Hopper's.

EPILEPSY COMMITTEE CHOSEN.

The following have been chosen as members of the committee to have charge of the programs on epilepsy at the state conference of charities and corrections at Springfield next October: Dr. W. H. C. Smith, Godfrey, chairman; Dr. Frank Billings, Chicago; Dr. Hugh T. Patrick, Chicago; Dr. William Healy, Chicago; Dr. Carl Black, Jacksonville; Dr. W. E. Eisenbaum, Edwardsville; Dr. H. G. Hardt, superintendent of the Lincoln state school and colony of Lincoln. These gentlemen have accepted the appointment and will have charge of those sessions of the conference that will deal with epilepsy and the need of a state colony for epileptics.

The right time now to order that suit you need. Knoles' is the place.

SPRING MILLINERY.

All our hats are direct from New York City. Mrs. Olin went there herself and made her personal selections. We now show more beautiful hats for ladies and misses than all the others will show at their so-called openings. Besides the prices are reduced 20 per cent. No exceptions.

The Emporium,
On East State St.

TOO COLD FOR WORK.

Owing to the inclement weather, work on the new bank building suspended yesterday, as it was too cold for men to work up so high. The manager says the atmosphere is 10 degrees colder on top of the building than on the ground and men cannot endure the rigors of weather up there. Work will be pushed as soon as circumstances will permit.

VISITED IN SOUTH.

Mrs. John Newton Ward has returned from a visit of two months and a half with her daughter, Mrs. Fred H. H. Calhoun of Clemson College, South Carolina. She reports that the weather was extremely cold when she left, being 6 degrees above zero with ice and snow covering the streets. This is a condition which has not existed in that state for two years.

Yes Something Is Coming--But These Four Specials Are Here Now

Right while you are needing them most---Harmon's habit---we offer three special values in dress goods, which will help materially in preparing your early Spring dresses. And in addition we place on sale a quantity of Palm Olive soap at a bargain price.

3 Bars Palmolive Soap 25c

Three bars for 25c or six bars for 50c. To those buying 50c worth of this soap we will present free of charge a 50c size jar of Palmolive cream. These Palmolive products are quality goods and should be used by every woman desiring a more perfect complexion.

75c Silk Pongee for 48c yard

This comes 36 in. wide and in colors of pongee, jasper, brown, light blue and pink. This is a serviceable, stylish piece of goods and sells regularly for 75c yd; but as a special inducement to early buying we offer it this week for only (see north window) 48c.

25c Nippon Shantung only 19c

This is one of the very fashionable rough finish fabrics. It is made of silk and cotton and comes 26 inches wide. The color range includes light blue, Copenhagen, green changeable, tan, lavender, jasper and pink. A most attractive fabric for (see our south window) 19c.

59c Silk Foulard Now 48c

Foulards have been accorded a sweeping popularity for spring wear, so you can't go amiss in buying a dress pattern off of this. We make this reduction on a very special value which comes in navy blues only and is 23 inches wide; a regular 59c value for 48c.

The Store For Dress
Goods and Silks.

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ELECTIONS IN ROAD DISTRICT

Close Contests Are Held in Several of the Districts for the Offices of Commissioner and Clerk.

Commissioners and clerks were elected in the various road districts of Morgan county Tuesday. In some of the districts much competition was manifested and a large number of votes were polled. The following were the results:

District No. 1.

Commissioner:
J. W. Moore 123
F. W. Zirkle 10
W. H. Daubard 18
J. S. Baker 4
Clerk:
W. L. Hopper 160
Ora Holmes 91

District No. 2.

Commissioner:
J. E. Kennedy 93
J. J. Clark 43
Clerk:
W. H. Petefish 103
S. L. Austin 30

District No. 3.

Commissioner:
Edward Stanley 67
William Smith 41
Clerk:
Lewis Smith 107

District No. 4.

Commissioner:
A. L. French 85
Henry Rieky 86
Edward Vorman 26
Clerk:
Henry Brownlow 107
W. J. Eddiebrook 88

District No. 5.

Commissioner:
Henry Brockhouse 133
Orville McLain 13
Clerk:
Richard Leake 63
Edward Williamson 43

District No. 6.

Commissioner:
J. A. Paschall 107
J. M. Smith 227
A. D. Arnold 128
Clerk:
Guthrie Patterson 99

District No. 7.

Commissioner:
L. B. Trotter 97
W. E. Morrow 65
Amos Laurent 23
Clerk:
C. M. Strawn 134
Clark Stevenson 48
E. R. Strawn 34

District No. 8.

Commissioner:
Daniel Kenny 182
Guy Bender 103
Benton Buchanan 82
Clerk:
Nicholas Conlon 101
James Johnson 78

District No. 9.

Commissioner:
E. W. Sorrells 138
Clerk:
Charles Dolan 104
Thomas Irlam 104
Clerk:
Alexander Calhoun 60
Frank Tribble 46
George Seymour 15
Martin Roberts 24

MISS THOMASON WEDS

Popular Jacksonville Young Lady Becomes Wife of Mr. Richard Glenn of Ashland.

Miss Mayme Thomason of this city and Mr. Richard Robert Glenn of Ashland were united in marriage at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomason, 335 North Diamond street, Dr. J. R. Harker, president of the Illinois Woman's college, officiating. The impressive ring ceremony was used and the young people were attended by Miss Allison Thomason, sister of the bride, and Mr. Harry Lohman of Ashland.

The bride was dressed in a beautiful gown of white chiffon over white messaline and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. She also wore a cluster of orange blossoms, sent by an aunt in California. The bride's maid was becomingly attired in a dress of green messaline.

For the occasion the Thomason home was most attractively decorated throughout in a color scheme of green and white, ferns, lilies and carnations being used with pretty effect.

Following the ceremony an elegant wedding supper was served to the seventy-five guests.

The bride is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomason and has spent her entire life in this city. Following a course in the high school, she attended the Woman's college. She is a young lady of many fine traits of character and holds the highest esteem of a host of friends.

Mr. Glenn is a son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Glenn of Ashland. He is a graduate in pharmacy and is opening an establishment in Ashland. For a time he was employed in the Hatch drug store in this city. Mr. Glenn is a young man of strict integrity and marked ability. The high regard in which he and his bride are held by their many friends was shown in the splendid array of beautiful presents they received, and in the hearty good wishes extended.

Those to attend the wedding from out of the city were Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Glenn, Miss Ada Glenn, Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Glenn, Mrs. Guy Ruh, Tallula; Harry Denton, Beardstown; Harry Lohman, Ashland; Miss Edith Wetmer, Carrollton; Mrs. O. E. Porter, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn left last night for Chicago, where they will spend a few weeks. Upon their return they will be at home in Ashland.

SALE OF GRIERSON PROPERTY.

Thursday, March 14, John P. Clark, master in chancery, will sell for cash in hand the Grierson property, several lots of desirable property known as the Grierson lots, situated on East State street. Said sale is to take place at 2 p. m. at the south door of the court house.

Mrs. Blanche Atteberry of Chicago is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Huffman on West College avenue.

Making Good Soup

There is only one way to make good soup, the old home way---that's the way Franco-American soups are made. This company makes soup in large quantities but not with machinery and every detail is more closely watched than in a private kitchen. Good stock is the basis of all good soup and it takes good materials, time and care to make it. The Franco-American Co. uses only the best fresh materials and they are used the same day they are received. Their refrigerators are empty at night. An assortment of Franco-American goods should be in your cupboard. Try some of these soups.

Mock Turtle	Tomato	Mutton Broth
Oxtail	Clear Veg'table	Consomme
Bullion	Juienne	Petite Marmite
Peas	Mulligatauny	Beef
Chicken Gumbo		Chicken

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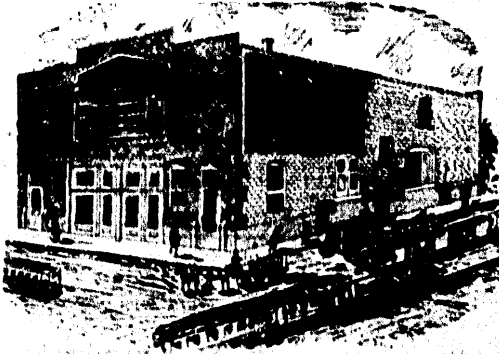
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Low Prices on Shoes

Come in and look us over; we'll be glad to see you. Our entire stock of shoes for Men, Women and Children has been placed on sale at prices that will astonish you. We must get room and money to handle Spring shoe business. We suggest that you come early before the sizes are broken. Come in today; we'll look for you.

W. T. REAUGH

An Over-Stock Sale

For One Week

We will sell a 36 oz. jar of pure preserves such as raspberry, blackberry, strawberry or cherry. These goods are composed of pure sugar and fruit only. They were bargains at 25c per jar; Our closing out price per jar is **15c**

Mason quart jars of Mixed Pickles or Chow Chow; 25c jar, to close out **15c** per jar

These prices show us a heavy loss, but we are overstocked and must move them.

ZELL'S GROCERY

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Schram JEWELER

Don't You Want a Diamond?

Our resplendent stock of jewelry contains an enticing array of this gem of gems, but the less costly pearls, opals, garnets, amethysts, have not been neglected.

Fine stones in the finest settings are in our cases for your admiration and choosing.

Schram JEWELER

Trade Winners for This Week

Cut Glass Specials

Bell shape tumblers—cut star pattern, each10c
Water pitchers to match cut star pattern, each\$1.00
Tall footed bon bon or jelly dishes, cut star, each\$1.25
Sugar and cream set, cut star, pair\$1.00
Footed sundae glasses, cut star, set\$1.75

Ask to see the Higbee Hot or Cold Sanitary Bottle. Keeps liquids or food stuffs hot or cold as desired. Hot 24 hours; cold 48 hours.

Half pint size, each1.24
Pint size, each\$2.48
Quart size, each\$2.48
15-1000 sheet rolls toilet paper\$1.00

Rayhill China Store

WILL LIVE IN JACKSONVILLE

Judge Brockhouse Surrenders Cashiership of Chapin State Bank—Will Devote Time to Duties Here.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Chapin State bank, the following officers were chosen: President—John Onken. Vice President—E. P. Brockhouse. Cashier—T. N. Markham. Assistant Cashier—Clarence A. Rice.

Judge Brockhouse, who has been cashier of the bank since 1909, it will be noted has retired from that post and has become a vice president instead. Since his election to the county bench Judge Brockhouse has made Chapin his place of residence and has continued to act as cashier of the bank, but he has found it difficult to take care of his court business and his own practice here and to look after the bank affairs as closely as a cashier must and therefore determined to give up that position and make Jacksonville his place of residence. As vice president he will still take an active interest in the management of the bank, but will not be compelled to be at the bank as often as in the past.

The Chapin State bank was organized almost twenty years ago by C. S. and A. L. French with a capital of \$25,000. The bank has done a good business through the years and now has a surplus and undivided profits to the amount of \$20,000.

Clarence Rice, who is to be the assistant cashier, is a son of Walter Rice, one of the original stockholders of the bank. He and Mrs. Rice, who is a daughter of John W. Leach, will go to Chapin April 1st, and will live in the house Judge Brockhouse built. For the present Judge and Mrs. Brockhouse are with Mr. and Mrs. Miller Veir, but later will lease a home. Their numerous Jacksonville friends will welcome them back as residents here.

WILL RE-ENTER GAME. Keokuk, Ia., March 5.—After having been on the retired list for two years, Charles Yeager, a widely known minor league second baseman, will re-enter the game this year at Kewanee in the Central association.

MORGAN. Irwin Coulson was a business visitor to Jacksonville last Thursday.

Mrs. Helen Manion and children are visiting George E. Coulson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Manion formerly resided near Girard but have recently sold out there.

Ruth McKim purchased a fine mule of Herman Rabe last Friday.

Dr. Willerton of Jacksonville was professional caller here one day last week.

Mrs. S. S. Smith spent Friday and Saturday visiting her daughter Mrs. Elmer Walford at Bluffs.

Oda Owens was in Jacksonville last Tuesday.

Mrs. James Sherry, Mrs. William Owens and T. H. Stone were county seat visitors Friday.

Mrs. Charles Norgaard and son Mrs. Fred Middendorf and Alfred Anderson and son were Jacksonville shoppers Saturday.

Fred Middendorf has sold his farm to Oda Owens and James Sherry one day last week.

Fred is going to move into the Onken farm and Dick Middendorf will move to the Moore farm which is located between Exeter and Winchester.

Mrs. Thomas Burrus and children of White Hall returned home Sunday after spending a few days with Mrs. Burrus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vannier.

Among those from here who attended the home talent play at Chapin Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Coulson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coulson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dickens, Misses Ruth Hutchins, Zora Jagger, Hattie Cooper and Ned Coulson, and Messrs. John Taylor, Joe and Paul Stone, Wilbur, Chester and Walter Williams.

T. H. Stone sold a fat cow and some steers to Walter Bobbit the Chapin butcher one day last week.

H. O. Smith and family spent Sunday with Charles H. Taylor and wife.

BLUFFS. Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds and son Camp O'Pint are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murrah.

Mr. and Mrs. Christianer were Jacksonville visitors last Friday.

Mrs. W. F. Schanbacher and daughter of Hannibal, Mo., is visiting at the house of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Wood son.

Mrs. Al Hope of Clayton was a business visitor in this vicinity last Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Farney of Geneva is visiting at the home of Mrs. Henry Onken.

W. H. Green was a Pittsfield visitor last Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Lewis spent the day in Merced last Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Pyle spent last Tuesday in Clayton visiting friends and relatives.

Cecil Murrah attended the automobile show in Quincy Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilston of Griggsville spent last Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Graham.

DR. LEONHARDT'S DISCOVERY. Hem-Roid Will Interest Every Person Who Has Piles.

The public is indebted to Dr. J. S. Leonhardt of Lincoln, Neb., for years of study of the treatment of piles, and for his discovery of a successful remedy taken inwardly, which lives up the stagnant blood circulation and reduces the swollen vessels.

Dr. Leonhardt's prescription is HEM-ROID.

Read the Journal; 10c a week.

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We will sell you 4 pair of boys stockings for \$1.00 that will wear 4 months without a hole coming in them or we give you a new pair free of charge.



25c a pair
4 pairs for \$1.00

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Just think of a boys stocking guaranteed 4 months. No more darning of boys stockings when you can buy

THE BUSTER BROWN

T. M. TOMLINSON

SEE OUR BUSTER BROWN WINDOW

Save Your
Tickets

Get a Harmony

Ask For
Tickets

TALKING MACHINE FREE

Save your tickets, and when you have made cash purchases amounting to \$50.00 you will be given a \$25.00 Harmony Talking Machine

FREE

Then all we ask you to do is to purchase one set of double 10-inch Disc Records at 65c each.

Ask for Circular, or call at our store

Graham Hardware Co.

North Main Street

Both Phones

Save Your
Tickets

Ask For
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ROID, sold by Armstrong's Drug Store and all druggists at \$1 for 21 days' treatment. Guaranteed to give satisfaction. Dr. Leonhardt Co., Station B, Buffalo, N. Y. Write for booklet.

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Ayers National Bank Building

Parties desiring to rent one or more offices in the new building are invited to call at once on the undersigned.

These offices have been arranged in a variety of sizes susceptible of a great many different combinations to suit the needs of tenants. Some changes that may be desired can possibly be made if arranged for immediately. No alterations will be made after work on the interior is commenced.

W. E. VEITCH,

Room 5, Duncan Bldg.

Manager,

Down Town Office

For the convenience of our customers we have made arrangements with L. S. Doane to receive orders and receipt bills at his office in the Farrell Bank Building.

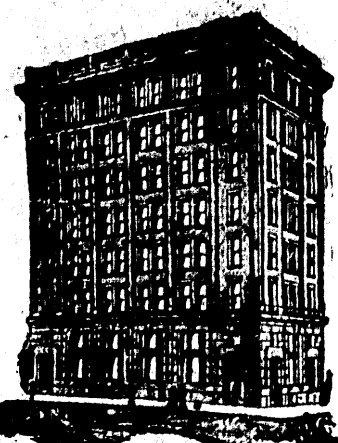
If you want to pay a coal bill without walking to our office on East College avenue, or want to leave an order while down town, call at Mr. Doane's office.

Walton & Company

AYERS NATIONAL BANK

Founded 1852.

Capital
\$200,000
Deposits
\$1,000,000
Surplus
\$50,000



The combined capital and surplus of this bank is ONE QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS the largest of any bank in Morgan county.

United States Depository

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George Delfrick

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R. C. Reynolds, Asst. Cashier
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AT SOCIALIST HALL

Mrs. Maynard Gave Lecture on "The Trust Busters"—Thinks Socialism a Remedy.

Last evening at Socialist hall Mrs. Milla Tupper Maynard spoke on the topic, "The Trust Busters." Mrs. Maynard is a very fluent speaker and of her lecture, which was two hours long, a few points are given:

"We are on the eve of a great transition. The best hope of the trust busters is the trusts themselves. Heretofore they have been managed for the few; the Socialists say handle them for the many. It is a great question and Socialism has the answer and to this even many magnates agree.

"But will Socialists be wise if they get control of everything? Our answer is Milwaukee. See what they have accomplished up there in two years. Socialism makes a collective ownership and does away with profit, interest and rent. Heretofore the big concerns have piled up their profits and have kept on buying and accumulating till they will soon own all the country if not checked. Profits have been too large; Socialists say scale them down; give the workman the profits and not the magnates. Rockefeller's wealth piles up millions a year; his company is constantly buying land and industries and where will it stop?

"The wise men of today offer two solutions for the trust evil. Cummins, Bryan and others say go back to a competition; Woodrow Wilson, I guess and others say regulate them. Bryan has declared he would do lots of things but has not had a chance. "President Taft has come out flat footed and invited the business men to come to Washington and talk things over; that is, to ask them what kind of laws they would like to have congress pass. Roosevelt is being backed by trust money.

"Now what do we want to do? Take over all these utilities and do away with profit, interest and rent. Give everybody work; banish poverty and want; unite families and spread happiness throughout the land. Make three shifts in the steel works; reclaim swamp and barren lands; make all happy.

"The infamous white slave traffic is one result of capitalistic greed. Thousands of innocent women and children are poisoned by it. Socialism will help promote religion for all will have plenty; there will be no poverty and unemployment; all will have homes and work and the profits will go to the producers."

A collection was taken for the Muscatine button workers and many sought a personal interview with the speaker.

Spring suits and coats for ladies, the largest stock in the city—we need money badly and consequently the prices have dropped. \$12.50 spring coats and suits \$7.50. The line \$20 garments are \$12.50. A golden opportunity for you, buy now and save money.

The Emporium
On East State St.

COLORED MEN TO MEET.

There will be a meeting of colored men at the Old Fellows hall on the north side of the square Friday, March 8, at 7:30 p. m., to endorse the candidacy of Andrew Russell, Republican candidate for state treasurer. A large attendance of colored voters is expected.

Early buyers are being shown a profusion of stylish models in tailor-made suits and coats for spring wear. Suits, coats, skirts, dresses, waists, all the latest styles, and waists in silk and wash materials—all from our high grade makers and made to fit you perfectly in our work room by competent fitters.

F. J. Waddell & Co.

LADIES' TAILORING.

Suits, coats, skirts to order; also from your cloth. Cleaning, altering, repairing ladies' and gent's garments. Frankenberg, S. E. Cor. Spr.

RECEIVED GIFT OF PONY.

Samuel Henry of Woodson has presented to his little granddaughters, Dorothy and Helen Rea, a Shetland, which he purchased from Sinclair Russell of Woodson. One can't imagine how delighted the children are with their pony.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Tribble.

Mrs. George Tribble, died Tuesday evening at 9:24 o'clock at her home, one and one-half miles southeast of Franklin, at the age of 41 years. She had been ill for over a year, but her recent serious illness had been for only a few days. She was born and reared in Morgan county and a woman loved by all who knew her. She was kind of heart and disposition and a true neighbor in every sense of the word. Early in life she united with the Methodist church. Besides her husband, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Harriet Patterson, three children, Fred, Grace and LeVina, also two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Edward Duggers of Franklin, Mrs. Emma Wright of Los Angeles, Cal., and Samuel Patterson of this county and Edward Patterson of Los Angeles.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

Tucker.

Miss Mary Amelia Tucker was born in New York City, October 4, 1821, and died at her home in Jacksonville, 829 Grove street, March 5, 1912, at 7:40 p. m., in the 91st year of her age.

She came to Jacksonville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Tucker, in 1840, and in 1841 removed to the house on Grove street, which has ever since been her home. She was the only sister of the late Mrs. Isaac L. Morrison, and is survived by her niece, Mrs. Thomas Worthington and a great-nephew, Morrison Worthington.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the residence on Grove street. Interment will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Sperry.

The funeral of Luther C. Sperry, a veteran of the civil war, was held Tuesday in Waverly from the home of his niece, Mrs. William Merritt. The services were in charge of Rev. Mr. Miller. Mr. Sperry died at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the age of 72 years. He was a member of Company H, 25th Illinois volunteers. He is survived by two brothers, W. C. and C. L. Sperry, both of this city.

Black.

Miss Caroline Black of Virginia, who came to Passavant hospital Monday for treatment, died Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. She had been in ill health for a number of months but her severe illness dates back to the time of the recent cyclone in Virginia, when she took quite an active part in giving assistance to the sufferers from that calamity. She was a woman of fine character and intelligence and ever took an interest in the building up of her community and of aiding in every good cause. She was born in Virginia July 8, 1862, and was in the 50th year of her age. Her mother died several years ago and she had been living alone for her father, W. L. Black, one of the prominent citizens of Virginia and president of the Centennial National bank. She was a member of the Christian church and here, as in her home life, she exemplified the true Christian spirit.

Besides her father she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. George Martin of Virginia, and Mrs. George Smith, wife of the former pastor of the Christian church of this city. The family now resides in Colorado. Both of the sisters were in the bedside when death came.

The remains were taken to the Reynolds undertaking establishment and sent to Virginia yesterday afternoon. Funeral services will probably be held Thursday afternoon.

HELD MONTHLY DINNER.

The regular monthly dinner of the members of State Street church was held Tuesday at the church. As usual the making of hats was given over to the business of the ladies. The Ladies' Aid society and of the Missionary society. There was 75 present to the dinner and a splendid menu was served. The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. Percy Owen, chairman; Mrs. Thomas Heaton, Mrs. Mary Dunlap, Mrs. William Winchester, Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson.

Our children's department is full of nobby new little coats, dresses and hats for children, from sizes for infants and up to 14 years. Serviceable garments at moderate prices. F. J. Waddell & Co.

ADDRESSING STUDENTS.

Principal R. O. Sloops gave a very interesting address before the students at the high school at the regular chapel hour service Tuesday morning. He traced the growth of the high school from its first inception and presented some very valuable data. He also spoke of his recent attendance at the educational convention in St. Louis and of the equipment which is to be found in the schools of that city.

WILL LEAD PRAYER SERVICE.

In the absence of Rev. Howard D. French, the prayer meeting service this evening at State Street church will be conducted by Dr. A. B. Morey.

We will be glad to show you—whether you are ready to buy or not—the advance spring styles in dresses, suits, coats, etc., which are just arriving. These garments have been personally selected from the best makers and are of our usual high standard. F. J. Waddell & Co.

Knoles' trade is good because wearers of his clothes are pleased.

NOW AT HARPER, KANS. A. J. Wells, who has been living at Hazelton, Kan., writes his friends here that he has moved to Harper, Kan., where he is conducting a meat market.

WANTED—Dining room girl at Woman's college. 6-21

Examine the superb line of suits—Knoles'.

A New Coat for Young Women Has the Fashionable Draped Revers

It is made of sturdy serge, mannish or wale diagonal, and has a trimming of two-toned striped serge on the imitation collar, the draped revers and the deep cuffs. It has the stylish wide, straight sleeves, set into a moderately deep armhole and the armhole is piped with striped serge, an unmistakable stamp of style newness. The lines of this coat are admirable and it boasts the staunchly good workshop of Worth tailoring that means the preservation of its beauty under stress of long wear.

\$16.50

A noteworthy model of blue whipcord serge has the draped revers and wide cuffs of black and red Pekin striped worsted. To relieve the plainness of the back, a rounded tab of the whipcord and worsted appears on each side of the back panel. \$18.75

A miscellaneous group of high grade mixtures—in grays and browns, in single and double tones—make use of the draped revers. They join the small flat collars with a break at the shoulders. Nearly all these coats have set-in sleeves with large arm-holes and wide cuffs. Outside of these features, however, the variety is as great in shapes of back and trimming ideas as it is in color.

We cannot go into details; come in and see the coats. \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20.00 and \$25.00

The Style Store

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We Have Just Opened Up the Largest, Nobbiest Line

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Lace Curtains
AND
Curtain Nets

Ever Shown in the City, and Find We Are Crowded for Room

In order to move them quickly, and make room, we have marked them at prices that will CERTAINLY appeal to ANY ONE in need of

Curtains and Draperies

We will not try to quote prices, but a glance at our North Window will give a little idea of what we have to offer

Come in, and let us show you the line

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

25c The
Newest
Neckwear

HILLERBY'S
SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

25c yd.
Lustrous
Lineweave

OUR Exposition Week was all that we hoped for, and even more. Our friends were kind enough to take a great interest in the numerous, beautiful displays of spring merchandise. The fact came out good and strong that one doesn't have to go to the city to buy new and stylish materials. We shall try to keep the new and wanted materials in our windows all the season. If you see it there it's right. We are getting in so much lovely stuff that we can only just speak of them.

New Dress Goods, New Silks, New Gingham, Wash Goods, Allovers and Trimmings

50c Oyster Linen	50c White Linen Crash	50c Grey Linen Crash
For Suits. The latest. 36 inches wide.	For Dresses and Coats. A yard wide.	Pepper and salt, gray. 36 inches wide.

Get Your Graduation Dress of Lineweave

And have a costume that will look as nice after it's laundered as before. Sheer, silky grades at 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c. Width from 32 inches to 45 inches. Our line of materials for Graduation, Class Day and other events of the commencement season is not surpassed in the city.

Don't forget to send in your letter about the window display of last week. Young ladies under 20 years are eligible. First prize, a pair of \$1.50 kid gloves, next best a lacy lace waist. Letters received to 6 p. m., Tuesday, March 5.

Beautiful Allover Laces and Embroideries

The Butterick Pattern Department is ready to aid you. Dresses never were so easily and simply made.

NEW GOODS EVERY DAY

Cold Feet at Night

A Hot Water Bottle at the foot of the bed takes the chill off, warms the feet and will do wonders to prevent sleeplessness. Be sure that the bottle is a good one.

Special

2-qt. Bottle made of new rubber, tight seams, the kind that wears, guaranteed, 89c.

Armstrong's Drug Store
The Quality Store,
S. W. Corner Square,
Jacksonville - ILL.

Cold Weather

These crisp winter days are making active conditions in the coal business. We are in position to give your fuel needs careful attention.

R.A. GATES

Fuel and Ice Co
Both Phones No. 13

Blackburn-Floreth Company

We Are Now Ready With Our Showing of New Spring Goods

Look over this list and see if there is not something you need soon, that you had better buy this week while everything is fresh and new.

36 inch White Curtain Swisses, 10c, 12½c and 15c.	Lace Curtains, new spring shipment, \$1 to \$5 pair.	27 inch Embroidered Flouncings, these are especially cheap at 35c and 50c.
40-inch Colored Curtain Serim, double printing, 17c and 20c.	36 inch Messaline Silk, in all the good wanting colors, special value, \$1 yard.	Swiss Flouncings with bands to match, 27 in. wide, 50c and \$1.
Dress Gingham, complete and new stock to choose from, 10c and 12½c.	Ladies' White Tailored Waists, \$1 and \$1.25.	Bands to match, 25c and 50c.
Torcheron Lace, special value, 1 to 3 inches wide, with insertion to match, 5c yd.	Silk Poplin, 25 inches wide, 50c yd.	45 inch Flouncings, a regular \$1.25 value, special price \$1 yard.
New Spring Coats at \$8, \$9.75 and \$10. These are special values at a saving of \$7 to \$5 on each coat. See window display.	Curtain Netting by the yard, 36 and 42 inches wide, in white or ecru 15c, 20c and 25c.	Best standard Calicoes, blue, grey, red, etc., 5c.
	Apron Gingham, extra good quality, all size checks and colors, 8 1-3c.	

The First Signs Of Spring



Make on naturally think of bright new footwear. Those old winter shoes must give way to a new pair.

We prepared to show you the cleanest lot of spring shoes ever offered by us. The new flat receding toe with flat heel, in black or tan, button or lace is very prominent among the new shoes shown this season. See our display, prices \$3.00 to \$6.00.

RUBBER FOOTWEAR.

It is a wet time and you need rubber footwear, we sell only the best. Sole agents for Lambertville Slog Proofs Footwear.

We Repair Shoes
Compitent workman-
ship of long expe-
rience.



The Store
That has a rest room
for your comfort.

STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE READ

Council Took First Action Looking Toward Adoption of the Measure Second Reading Will Be Given After Seven Days.

At a special session of the city council held Tuesday afternoon, the first formal reading of the completed street railway franchise ordinance was given. F. G. Butte and Judge Barnes were present to represent the traction company and City Attorney Hargrove was on hand to advise the commissioners. Mayor Davis presided. Mr. Pyatt read the ordinance, section by section, and a few changes in wording were made, mainly on the initiative of Mr. Brown. The changes of wording, however, were such as Mr. Butte objected to, he said, mainly because the ordinance as presented had been prepared by Attorney Burton of the Traction Co. after it was believed all points had been agreed upon.

Possibly the most important change made was in the wording of section sixteen, where it was provided that toward the expiration of the term of the franchise, if the matter of the disposition of the property went to arbitration that such arbitration must be concluded within three months. The purpose of the change is to guard against long quibbling in an effort to arbitrate.

The ordinance now must lie over for seven days, when it will be given a second reading and passed. Then after thirty days or more the people will express their views on the subject at an election.

F. J. Waddell & Co. are now showing the new spring styles in Suits, Coats and Dresses—fresh from the workrooms of New York's best makers. You will find here perfectly tailored garments and exclusive styles and we guarantee always perfect fit and satisfactory wear.

SOUTH SIDE CIRCLE.

The anniversary meeting of the south side circle that was to have been held at the home of Mrs. William Newman Friday March 8th has been postponed on account of illness among the members. There will be no meeting this week.

GAVE SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bridgeman, who reside north of the city, were given a very pleasant surprise Tuesday evening by a number of their neighbors. The hours were pleasantly passed at games and with music and elegant refreshments were served. Those present were C. C. Young and family, James Black and family, Edward Shibe and family, George Goyela and family, Richard Black and family, Mrs. Sarah Holman, Miss Grace Myers, Miss Mary Bourn, Harry Samples, John, Walter and Leo Bourn, Park Boon, Nate Carpenter and Otis Mason.

We are certain of satisfaction when we order our clothes of Knoles.



Buy your new STETSON
hat to-day—a derby or a soft hat—either is sure to delight you. There is more *Style and Better Quality* in a "Stetson" hat than in any other at anything like the same price. Prove it yourself—get a "Stetson" hat to-day—get it of us.

You'll not be urged to buy a hat that's not becoming to you, for we have all sorts of styles to suit any face

Stiff Hats - - - \$2.00 to \$5.00
Soft, light weight felt Hats \$1.50 to \$5.00

Colors---Black, Noir, Grey Mixed
Redwood and Olive Mix.

Fancy
Scotch
Stitched
Cloth
Hats
\$1 to \$2.50

MYERS BROTHERS.

New
Golf
Caps
50c to
\$1 50

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Miss Pearl Wylder gave a dinner Tuesday evening for twenty or more intimate friends. The appointments were such as to make the function a very delightful one in every way. The company included Misses Pearl and Ethel Wylder, Mrs. H. H. Bancroft, Mrs. E. P. Brockhouse, Mrs. C. E. Cole, Mrs. J. Weir Elliott, Mrs. E. B. Harmon, Mrs. H. K. Chenoweth, Mrs. Isaac Powers, Mrs. H. H. Taylor, Misses Carrie Dunlap, Jeanette Russell, Bess Smith, Ruth Widenham, Alice Wadsworth, Agnes Wakely, Irene Thompson, Harriet Parsons, Kate Rogerson, Louise Capps, Mary Masters, Helen Ayers, also Miss Annie Hinrichsen of Alexander and Miss Nell Taylor of New Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duckwell, who were recently married, were given a charivari at their home in Lynville Tuesday night. A large number of their friends got together and soon the merry makers had surrounded the house and taken captive their new neighbors. The evening was spent in playing games and with music and during the hours refreshments were served.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

A. P. Grout Elected President of State Organization. Springfield, Ill., March 5.—The annual convention of the Illinois Farmers' Institute will be held at Sterling, according to the decision made at the meeting of the board of directors here to night. Officers for the association for the coming year are as follows: President—A. P. Grout, Winchester. Vice president—Ralph Allen, Delavan. Secretary—H. A. McKeene Springfield. Treasurer—J. P. Mason, Elgin. Auditor—F. Y. Mann, Gilman.

SPRINGFIELD ALL CLUB. Springfield, Ill., March 5.—The Springfield Baseball association will be incorporated to morrow with a capital stock of \$8,000, according to an announcement made following a meeting held to night. Officers and directors will be elected at a meeting Friday night. The club has already signed a number of new players.

JOHN F. HOLLAND DEAD. Chicago, March 5.—John F. Holland, a widely known state politician, who has been active in forwarding the candidacy of Governor Deussen died here to day. On account of his death the starting of the Deussen campaign in Holland's ward here has been postponed until March 9th.

THEATER FIRE. Chicago, March 5.—A crowd of panic stricken women and children fought to escape from the burning Peerless theater, near the corner of Division street and Milwaukee avenue to night. The explosion of a moving picture machine filled the theater with smoke and set fire to the gallery at the rear of the theater. Despite the panic, no one was seriously injured. The interior of the theater was partly destroyed.

FIGHT A DRAW. St. Joseph, March 5.—Clarence English of Omaha and "Wildcat" Ferns of Oklahoma battled fifteen rounds to a draw here tonight.

WITH THE SICK

Miss Louise Strandberg is ill at her home on Howe street.

Miss Alice Wheeling is ill with tonsillitis at her home, 868 North Prairie street.

Mrs. H. D. Atkins has received word that Miss Lavina J. Eden is critically ill with peritonitis, at Des Moines, Iowa. Miss Eden is well known here, where she taught for a number of years in the School for the Deaf. For two months she was in the hospital in Jacksonville.

Word has been received by relatives of the serious illness of Mrs. William Reeve at Los Angeles, Cal. She is suffering from gall stones. She was formerly Miss Mattie Mason.

Mrs. Jane Elder of Franklin, who has been seriously ill for some time, showed some signs of improvement Tuesday.

"Grandma" Tomlin of Pleasant Plains, who is a patient at the Springfield hospital, is some better.

William Walbaum, east of the city, who is critically ill with pneumonia, was slightly better Tuesday.

LADIES' TAILORING. Frankenberg, s. c. corner square.

WAS CHOSEN SECRETARY.

National Auto Dealers Name Local Man to Succeed Edward Young. L. F. O'Donnell was chosen secretary of the National Auto Dealers' association to succeed Edward Young of Bloomington, resigned, at a meeting of the association held in Springfield Monday. Julius Broehl of Pana was elected treasurer of the association to fill a vacancy. Mr. O'Donnell being secretary of the association will make Jacksonville headquarters for the organization.

DIVORCE FOR AGED MAN. Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, March 5.—Benjamin Youtz, 75 years old and prominent, was to day granted a divorce in the district court from his wife, Anna, aged 61, on the grounds of cruel treatment.

ENDORSE ROOSEVELT. Fort Worth, Texas, March 5.—The Republican state executive committee to day selected Fort Worth as the meeting place of the state convention May 28, and endorsed former President Roosevelt for the presidential nomination.

McFARLAND WINS. New York, March 5.—Packy McFarland, the Chicago lightweight, won all the way in a ten round bout with "One Round" Hogan of California at the Fairmont A. C. here to night.

TAFT DELEGATES. Talladega, Ala., March 5.—Delegates of the fourth Alabama district to the Republican national convention—J. A. Bingham and J. I. Abercrombie—instructed for Taft.

THE WEATHER. The temperature for Tuesday, according to G. H. Hall of Alexander, was, maximum 27 and minimum 8.

FOR RHEUMATISM. George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detton's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast. Sold by L. P. Allcott, druggist."

MATRIMONIAL RECORD

Scott-Bond. Noble H. Scott of Payson, Ill., and Miss L. Gertrude Bond of Franklin were united in marriage at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Centenary parsonage by Rev. Dr. F. A. McCarty, the ceremony being witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Chaffans and Miss Bond of Franklin. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ory A. Scott of Payson. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bond, early settlers of the Franklin neighborhood. Both young people have many friends who will extend hearty congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott left Tuesday afternoon for southern Illinois to visit with relatives and upon their return will reside on a farm near Payson.

Sample-Coons.

Mr. Edward F. Sample and Miss Mayme Coons, both of Loami, were recently married in Springfield by Rev. Mr. Brandon, pastor of the Carpenter Street M. E. church. The wedding took place at the home of the minister and was a very quiet one, being witnessed by Miss Nigle Loving, a niece of the groom, and Ralph Coons, a brother of the bride. Both young people are held in high esteem in their community and have also a large circle of friends in this city who will extend hearty congratulations. They will reside on a farm east of Waverly. Mr. Sample is a brother of Mrs. J. Roy Harney of North Diamond street.

Charles Norman Ellis of this city and Miss Edith Taylor of Virginia were united in marriage Monday at the Presbyterian parsonage in Virginia, Rev. John J. Wilson officiating. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Ellis of 1157 South Diamond street and is a carpenter by occupation. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor.

Hughes-Butch. William Hughes and Miss Lee Butch, both of Waverly, were married at that place Sunday by Rev. A. N. Simms, pastor of the Methodist church.

SCOTT'S THEATER. Remember the special picture to day—Old Mexico. See the bull fights, war scenes, cock fights, inauguration of Madero. Great pictures these.

WITHOUT A MAYOR. Galesburg, Ill., March 5.—Many attorneys are of the opinion that legally Galesburg is without a mayor.

Mayor George Sanderson died recently and last night the city council selected David Swanson to fill the vacancy until an election can be held in May. But today attorneys found a decision of the supreme court which is said to make the action of the council illegal. Death, the court ruled, created a permanent vacancy which could only be filled by an election.

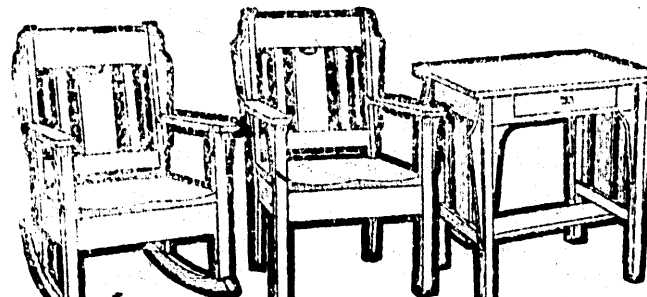
SEATTLE ELECTION. Seattle, Wash., March 5.—At midnight the returns from more than half the city of Seattle give George F. Cotterill, municipal ownership and single tax candidate for mayor, a majority of seventy-nine votes over Hiram C. Gill, open town candidate.

Big dance to night. Degen's hall. Powers & Johnson.



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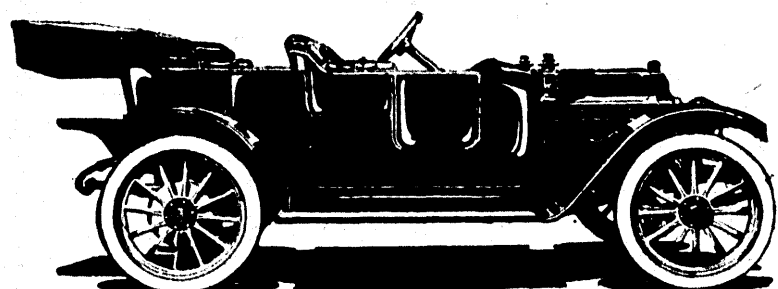
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ELECTED OFFICERS.

Missionary Societies of Congregational Church Met Tuesday.
The annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Congregational church was held Tuesday afternoon in the parlors of the church with a large attendance. Miss Maria Patton read a very interesting and valuable paper on "Missionaries at Work," after which the election took place, officers for both the foreign and home societies being chosen. Mrs. Frank J. Hohl and Mrs. W. S. Camp were the hostesses for the afternoon. The election in the Foreign Missionary society resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. W. A. Farr.
Vice-president—Mrs. Allen Fairbank.
Secretary—Mrs. Knapp.
Treasurer—Mrs. Oscar Kuehler.
The following were chosen as officers in the other society:
President—Mrs. Marion Tanner.
Vice-president—Mrs. H. H. Hall.
Secretary—Mrs. M. H. Havenhill.
Treasurer—Mrs. Miller Wolf.
A substantial offering was taken for Passavault hospital.

SUCCESSFUL SALE.

John Thompson, residing near Woodson had a sale of stock Monday and farm implements and though the weather was rather raw and forbidding the attendance was reasonably good and prices generally realized were satisfactory. Horses brought from \$85 to \$215; pigs, \$5.00; hogs, \$16.00 to \$20.00; cows, \$53.00 to \$72.50. The farm implements were generally in good condition and sold well. The most remarkable sale was that of some 350 bushels of corn in the crib. It brought 90 cents a bushel and wasn't all sold corn either, though probably some of it would be suitable for that purpose. It went to several different persons. Capt. John E. Wright and son, Justus were the auctioneers and Joseph H. Stice was the clerk.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

REPUBLICANS.

Representative.
I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for Representative in the General Assembly from this the Forty-fifth Senatorial District, subject to the decision of the primary, April 9, 1912.

For State's Attorney.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for state's attorney of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Circuit Clerk.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

J. A. Rawlings.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

George W. Scott.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Arthur J. Hayden.
Commissioner.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for commissioner of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

P. D. Megginson.
Commissioner.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for commissioner of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Allinson Thomason.
For Coroner.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for coroner of Morgan county, subject to the primaries April 9, 1912.

DEMOCRATS.
Representative.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for representative in the Forty-fifth district, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Wm. M. Cleary.
Circuit Clerk.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Eugene D. Pyatt.
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Charles E. Seymour.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

J. Melchert Hart.
State's Attorney.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state's attorney of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Robert Tilton.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state's attorney of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

William E. Thomason.
Coroner.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for coroner of Morgan county, subject to the primaries April 9, 1912.

E. N. Kitter.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of coroner subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of Morgan county.

George W. Wright.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for coroner of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

Robert L. Wyatt.

STIMSON DECLARES HIMSELF FOR TAFT

SECRETARY OF WAR IN CHICAGO
SPEECH SAYS PRESIDENT IS A
PROGRESSIVE.

Points Out That With Perfect Self-Abnegation Taft Has Carried Out Constructive Policies Advocated by Roosevelt—Speaker Says He Is Still Colonel's Friend But Cannot Be For Him Now.

Chicago, March 5.—Henry L. Stimson, of New York, secretary of war, and the Roosevelt candidate for governor of New York in 1910, tonight declared himself for President Taft, and said that while he remained the sincere friend of Mr. Roosevelt, he could not support him for the presidential nomination. Mr. Stimson entered President Taft's cabinet last year, after consultation with Mr. Roosevelt, and with the distinct understanding with the president that he would be found in no way to take part in the political activities of the administration. In a speech before the Taft club of Illinois tonight, he declared his belief that President Taft's administration represented the highest expression of Progressive Republican policy.

Calls Taft a Progressive.
"I am here tonight for the renomination of President Taft," said Mr. Stimson. "I am now and always have been a progressive."

"I am for Mr. Taft because I believe he has faithfully carried out the progressive faith of the Republican party; that his administration stands for orderly, permanent progress in our national government; and that to refuse him the nomination on the assertions that have been made against him, would be a blow to that progress and would put a premium upon hasty and unfounded criticism. I entered into public life under the inspiration of Theodore Roosevelt. I am a firm believer in the great national policies for which he has fought; and I now remain his sincere friend. But I believe that those who are forcing him, contrary to his original intention, into the arena against Mr. Taft, are jeopardizing instead of helping the real cause of progress in the nation."

"The introduction of such a contest at this time, dragging in, as it necessarily will, new and personal issues which are quite foreign to the great progressive policies for which the Republican party stands, cannot fail to weaken whichever candidate is eventually nominated in June. If as a result, that candidate is defeated in November, the government may be thrown into the hands of a truly reactionary party for years to come."

Adhered To Progressives Here.
Mr. Stimson said that President Taft had devoted himself unceasingly to the carrying out of constructive work along progressive lines. The administration was begun, he said, upon a plan that had the thorough approval and deliberate endorsement of Mr. Roosevelt, and to that plan President Taft had adhered rigidly. "Is it fair now to criticize him?" asked Mr. Stimson "because, in faithfully carrying out this pledge of four years ago, in performing this vitally useful though inconspicuous work, he has not dominated the public attention with dramatic display."

Has Elected Public Service.
The results of this deliberate self-abnegation are shown in the great legislative and constructive accomplishments of his term. Mr. Taft's standards of administration, like those of Mr. Roosevelt, have been constantly toward purity and elevation of our public service and our public life.

"With great patience, with unflinching courage, with absolute disinterestedness, in those excitable times when men's minds are full of a readiness for criticism and a desire for experiment, he has carried on the burden of administration and has carried it forward. It will be a reflection upon our own power of fair minded and candid judgment if we do not recognize the merit as well as the difficulty of that achievement now."

Certain reform methods of government advocated by many of the progressives, and in part by Mr. Roosevelt, were severely criticized by Mr. Stimson. He denounced the recall of judges as destined to bring the courts "down into the gutter of politics" and said that it was no test of a Republican's progressiveness to require his support to systems that had been successful in certain support to systems that had been successful in certain states.

add STIMSON
"It is mere narrowness and intolerance to insist upon a remedy which has proved effective in one place, as the necessary test of sincere and intelligent reform in another," he said. "It is even more erroneous to make fidelity to one of those schemes of local government in one of the commonwealths a test for what is proper and appropriate in the government of the nation at large."

Mr. Stimson said that the referendum had apparently worked well

in Oregon, but that in a 50-year trial in New York, as applied to constitutional questions, it had been a failure.

"Should the national Republican who lives in New York be read out of this party?" he asked, "because he declines to accept the referendum as the best remedy to cure the abuses of popular government in his own state?"

"It only confuses and distracts to drag into a national campaign the prejudices and shibboleths which have arisen in the contests of the different states. Mr. Taft's administration must be judged by the attitude with which he has approached and the success he has attained in dealing with these national problems, and not according to the views which any of us may hold upon these local questions of state machinery."

The secretary of war drew attention to the investigations that have been made under President Taft in problems that had been the subject of serious controversy for years. The work of the tariff board, the Hadley allway securities commission and the Hughes commission on land and class mail matters were typical, he said, of the methods sought by Mr. Taft to ascertain facts.

"I doubt if there has ever been an administration where so many vital questions of progress were under careful, scientific investigation and scrutiny by commissions of competent experts," he said.

"There is nothing dramatic about such a method; but a reform accomplished in the light of such carefully accredited facts is more likely to be permanent. This is the very essence of Mr. Taft's method as a reformer."

President Taft has been "falsely vilified and abused," in connection with the tariff, said Mr. Stimson, and has, in fact, taken the Republican party out of the grasp of the special interests benefited by the tariff and has made a part of the Republican progressive policy the downward revision of the tariff schedule by schedule.

"Is not this a tremendous achievement in the direction of national progress," asked Mr. Stimson, "to completely rescue his party from the methods and influences which, if uncontrolled, would inevitably turn it into a party of special interests and reaction? Is he not right in standing to the uttermost, even to the exercise of all of the executive powers of veto against the old privilege-breeding methods of tariff revision employed by the Democratic house of representatives?"

Secretary Stimson reviewed the administration and its achievements. He said that the president had outlined the system of trust reform which it adopted would put the country in "a fair way of solving our trust problem and solving it right." That in the corporation tax the president had "turned the flank of one of the most stubborn torreses of reaction." His interest in human welfare was evidenced by his devotion to the progress of the Philippines, said Mr. Stimson, through his activity in behalf of the arbitration treaties, his efforts for adequate workmen's compensation and effective employers' liability laws and his suggestions for an industrial commission.

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The Willing Workers are sending out their angelic message regarding the great and only lunch counter to appear at the J. W. Arnold sale Friday March 8th. They wish each lady of the church to furnish six pies and some good cream for coffee. Nobody excluded from furnishing pies. The offer is open to the world. It is contemplated organizing a cavalry company to attend church during the certain bad roads of the next few weeks. Come man, join. You do not have to stay at home to take care of the children. Don't stay at home because you, and the Mrs. can't come, we need you and you need the church. Join the cavalry squad—that's it.

Appointments for Sunday March 10th: Sabbath school 10:00 a. m. Subject: Mark 1:29-45, Jesus the Healer. Reading power of the light. Preaching service 11:00 a. m. Subject: "The Sympathetic Ministry of the Great Physician." We wish to send off the benevolence by March 18th. Contributors please mail checks or hand amounts to Mr. W. T. Sec. Jacksonville, Ill., R. R. 6 before that date.

We wish to acknowledge the accuracy and kindness of the Journal in publishing notes through the winter and thus being messenger between pastor and people.

Norbury W. Thornton. Pastor.

NORTONVILLE.

J. P. Anderson has been able to be at his store a good part of the time this week.

Our postoffice has been discontinued and hereafter Murrayville, R. F. D. No. 4, will be our address.

Mrs. Gus Henry is improving after her recent illness.

Henry & Green have their sawmill in full force in S. E. But's timber. Clarence Dalton came near having a disastrous fire at his home Friday. They were away at the time and reached home just soon enough to find the trouble. A spark from the fire had set the carpet on fire and had damaged the room and furniture to a considerable extent but it was put out before getting under full way.

Many are moving to their new locations for the year. Joseph Vedder has gone to Jacksonville, A. J. Morris to the tenant house of Abe Seymour and Verne Fanning and mother to the house vacated by Mrs. W. J. Radford will move into A. Hopper's house here in town this week.

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WANTED.

WANTED—5,000 live pigeons, \$1.00 per doz. Bell phone 909-12. Fred O. Hanson. 5-6t

WANTED—To buy a phonograph; must be in good condition. Address "Phonograph" care Journal. 5-2t

WANTED—By April 1, 6 or 7 room modern house with fair sized lot, near paved street. Address 38 Journal. 3-3t

WANTED—Addressing or plain sewing. Mrs. Grace Taylor, 210 North Prairie St. Ill. phone 1062. 6-6t

WANTED—A home where a 14-year old girl can work for board and go to school. Associated Charities, rooms 8-19 Unity building. 3-4t

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WANTED—Position by an experienced and competent lady stenographer. Have also a good knowledge of bookkeeping. Good references. Address 12, care of Journal. 3-3t

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WANTED—Girls at Grand Laundry. 2-1-tf

WANTED—Girls at Model Laundry. 213 S. Sandy st. 3-6t

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WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper and collector at once. Address "Bookkeeper" care Journal. 5-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call morning, 1243 West State St. 6-3t

WANTED—An experienced woman to assist by the day in domestic service. Apply to N. P. P. Journal office. 5-tf

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. Must understand feeding and caring for stock. J. F. Berry, 135 Pine. 6-6t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. References required. 871 West College Avenue. 5-3t

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WANTED—Men to prepare for positions. Learn the barber trade. Few weeks' training. No dull seasons, no strikes. An army of graduates depending upon us for help. Moler-Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 2-6t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Houses, always. The Johnston Agency. 2-1-tf

FOR RENT—Four room cottage. Ill. phone 1360. J. F. Kitcher. 1-21-tf

FOR RENT—6 rooms north side double house. 414 S. Main. M. E. Fitch. 1-tf

FOR RENT—Brick 8 room house corner W. College Ave. and Diamond. Will be put in first class condition to suit tenant. Modern conveniences. 6-5t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good colt, year old in May. 1433 Center street. 5-4t

FOR RENT—8 room house. Inquire 218 South Church St. 20-tf

FOR SALE—Apples, elder and rice popcorn. Ill. phone 86. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE—Bronze turkey gobblers for breeding purposes. Mrs. W. C. Headen, Ill. phone 621. 12-21-tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red cockerels. Ill. phone 6134. 9-tf

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. G. F. Latture, 1515 S. Main. Bell phone 546. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Six room cottage; furnace, electric lights, gas, pleasant location; a bargain; must be sold at once. Inquire at 123 Prospect street. 3-tf

FOR SALE—Modern, eight room

house with barn, lot 80 by 380

feet, good orchard. On third avenue. Call 210 South Main St. 3-6t

FOR SALE—Good cleaned clover seed. C. F. Strand, Murrayville. 5-4t

FOR SALE—Span of mules, 7 years old; will weigh 1200 each. Ill. phone 1124. 5-3t

FOR SALE—Winter apples and sweet cider. Ill. phone 60-86. 2-15-1mo

FOR SALE—At great sacrifice, modern eight room residence on West College Avenue, corner lot, paved and cement walks on both sides. Must be sold. Address XXX Journal. 6-3t

FOR SALE—6 room house on East College Avenue, cheap if sold at once. Call Ill. phone 1261. 18-tf

FOR SALE—Seed corn. Jewsbury Bros., Liberty. Ill. Bell phone. 29-12t

FOR SALE—New modern 8 room house with barn, lot 50x200 feet, easy terms. Zell's Grocery. 5-tf

FOR SALE—5,000 white oak fence posts and 100 white oak and burr oak end posts. T. E. Laurie, 923 1/2 Ill. phone. 23-tf

MEN'S clothing and furniture bought and sold. 212 S. Mainvalterre St. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Try Watkins Stock and Poultry Tonic, also stock pig. We give you best money can buy in any quantity you want. Get any prices before you buy. Full line of Watkins medicines and extracts all the time. 400 S. Main. Order by mail or call B. H. McCarty, agent. 2-6t

FOR SALE—One-half interest in grocery store in Beardstown, doing a business of \$150 per day. Will sell cheap. Other business interests reason for selling. H. D. Todd. 2-11-tf

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MISCELLANEOUS.

MONEY to lend always. The Johnson Agency. 1-26-tf

WOODS' CARRIAGE AND RAGGAGE line. Order for all trains and special occasions; prompt and reliable service at all times. Both phones 174. Office at 219 East Court st. 2-1-tf

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HAVE YOUR UPHOLSTERING and mattress work done at Massey's, 231 W. Court st. Ill. phone 265. 1-20-tf

KENNEDY'S CARRIAGE LINE—Call Coover & Shreve's west side store. Both phones 108. Residence, Ill. 1393. 2-1-tf

TO TRADE—New modern 8 room house for property on East State or College Ave., west of railroad. Zell's Grocery. 5-tf

I HAVE a service bull, \$1 cash in advance, bring no cows without the money. John Ross, Lincoln Avenue. 3-9t

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—The best line of trunks, suit cases, traveling bags, at Harney's, the Leather Goods Man, 215 W. Morgan st. 3-1-tf

LOST—Gold watch fob with initial B and W between opera house and C. & A. depot. Reward, Ill. phone 1203. 3-3t

FOUND—An ear ring. Owner can call at Journal office. 3-3t

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FOR SALE
The James M. Cox farm, located 8 miles east of Jacksonville and 2 miles south of Orleans station, consisting of 87 acres of black level land, 20 in grass, balance in cultivation and reasonably well improved. Exr. Hubert P. Cox, Franklin, Ill. rural 3. Bell phone 017-2, and John W. Cox, Curran, Ill. Bell phone 8-5, Riddle Ill.

THE MARKETS

Chicago, March 5, 1919.

Wheat—High, low, close.

May \$1.03 1/2, \$1.03, \$1.03 1/2

July 97 1/2, 97 1/2, 97 1/2

Sept. 95 1/2, 95 1/2, 95 1/2

Corn—

May 71 1/2, 70 1/2, 70 1/2

July 71 1/2, 70 1/2, 70 1/2

Sept. 71 1/2, 70 1/2, 70 1/2

Oats—

May 53, 52 1/2, 52 1/2

July 49 1/2, 48 1/2, 48 1/2

Sept. 41 1/2, 41 1/2, 41 1/2

Pork—

May 15.87 1/2, 15.67 1/2, 15.85

July 16.17 1/2, 15.97 1/2, 16.17 1/2

Sept. 16.17 1/2, 15.97 1/2, 16.17 1/2

Lard—

May 9.42 1/2, 9.30, 9.42 1/2

July 9.60, 9.47 1/2, 9.60

Sept. 9.75, 9.65, 9.75

Butter—

May 8.85, 8.72 1/2, 8.85

July 8.92 1/2, 8.82 1/2, 8.92 1/2

Sept. 9.12 1/2, 8.97 1/2, 9.12 1/2

Grain Letter.

Chicago, March 5.—Wheat—

Wheat shows a heavy tone, but has

been well supported. Local pro-

cessionals show a disposition to scalp

the short side, but are cautious. The

government farm reserve report due

late 1 of the week is expected to be

bullish. Traders will curtail opera-

tions until after out of the way.

Fairly good arrivals from the country

do not seem to bear out the extreme

views expressed by private esti-

mators. Heavy stocks at terminal

market continue to offer high ob-

stacles to bull campaign. Further

setback seems probable. Deferred

deliveries are relatively cheap and

we believe are a good investment on

breaks.

Corn—Corn was influenced prin-

cipally by improved weather and re-

alizing sales. Country offerings con-

tinued disappointing and receipts lo-

cally are not burdensome. Railroad

troubles, due to the severe weather,

are keeping a good deal of stuff off

the market. Corn has had a very

sharp advance and now that the

southern demand is about over, a

good deal of stuff is likely to come

on the northern market, while high-

er prices may rule later in the year.

We continue to believe that unless

the government is more bullish than

the private estimates, lower prices</

(Chicago American Saturday, January 27, 1912.)

Uncle Sam Buys A Buick Motor

A model 28 Buick motor car was delivered to Colonel Spencer Crosby of the Department of War at Washington, to be used by the inspector of buildings and grounds on his daily trips.

The government invited all the leading manufacturers of cars priced from \$900 to \$2,500 to submit a car in competition to a committee of expert mechanical men. These cars were driven to the designated place and the drivers dismissed.

The examination was then made with no representative of any of the cars present. Motor for motor, shaft for shaft, bolt for bolt, the cars were compared, tested and appraised by the government experts. One by one the cars were eliminated until but one remained. It was the Buick.

Of the seventeen or eighteen cars submitted the Buick alone stood the rigid test of quality and construction, upon which the examination was based. This car was at once turned over to the government for immediate service.

Sold in this city at Modern Garage
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West Court Street.

Spring is Coming

We say with pardonable pride that never before has such an extensive assortment of snappy shoes combined with values of such exceptional merit been offered to our trade. All we ask is an opportunity to show this extraordinary assortment of

New Shoes and Oxfords

For Men and Boys
They are arriving daily, are \$3.50 ten button shoes and speak highly for our attractions.
We repair shoes at lowest prices best workmanship and best material used. Have had 20 years' experience in shoemaking, which enables us to take old shoes and make them look like new.

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Are you nervous and despondent; weak and debilitated; tired mornings; no ambition—lifeless memory; poor; easily fatigued; excitable and irritable; eyes sunken, red and blurred; pimples on face; dreams and night terrors; restlessness; backward looking; weak back; deposit in urine and drags at stool; distrustful; want of confidence; lack of energy and strength? The Carson System will cure you.
Dr. Carson through years of experience has perfected the most infallible method of curing all diseases and weaknesses of men, youthful vitality and all effects of abuse and excesses, improve life and solitary habits with a full and sound mind and body suitable for business, study, society or marriage. A perfect restorative; a guaranteed under a special contract in writing, which costs no more to employ an expert to risk your life with an inexperienced physician than to employ Dr. Carson's system.

I ALSO CURE ALL CURABLE CASES OF Catarrh, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Lungs, Liver, Kidney, Heart, Stomach, Bowels, Bladder, etc. Skin Diseases by a treatment that has never failed in thousands of cases that have been pronounced beyond hope.

To those millions alone I have consigned devoted the best years of my life. Physicians having nothing to offer that are cordially invited to consult with me. I make no charge for such consultation. Describing your troubles, if unable to find a treatment through personal consultation, I will prescribe. Every case of Piles, Fistula, Hemorrhoids and Venereal diseases cured without delay from business. Special weakness, Syphilis, Gonorrhea, and Stricture a specialty.

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A FLOURISHING SCHOOL

A Pleasant Visit of a Journal Representative With the Public School at the Thriving Town of Alexander.

Tuesday morning the writer had the great pleasure of a visit with the teachers and pupils of the public schools of Alexander. The day was rather cold and disagreeable, but the attendance was good and the young people seemed intent on the work before them. While they were full of life and vigor, with plenty of noise before the hour for school, all subsided promptly at the call of the teachers and though the writer has visited many schools in the county he has not seen anywhere better order than was maintained.

The primary grades were invited into the principal's room and all listened intently to a talk by the visitor on some of his foreign travels. All paid the most respectful attention and though none saw fit to ask any questions all seemed much interested in what they heard. Certainly it may be said that Alexander has a bright set of boys and girls and all have been taught good manners as far as the visitor could observe during his visit.

Seekers after knowledge they are preparing themselves for the active duties of life and in due time will go forth to its duties better prepared for the battle of life by what they will have learned in the school near their home. The district takes a good bit of territory in its limits and has a number of enterprising and wide awake citizens in its constituency.

The directors of the district are: Clifton Strawn, president; S. D. Beern, clerk; J. P. Ryan. These gentlemen are liberal minded and the principal said they had told him to ask for what he wanted for the good and successful conduct of the school and he should have it. The writer was glad to see on the walls including a set of wall maps, a globe, historical maps, physiological chart, set of Kennedy's blocks for study of volumes, solids and surfaces and a book case with about a hundred volumes.

The building is rather too small and it is crowded and insufficient for the purposes, though in good condition. It is unfortunately located so near the railroad and has almost no playground at all. It is probable that the people will be called on to consider the question of a new building and more suitable grounds. The school seems to be in a good condition, healthy and vigorous, with an engaging atmosphere about it. The pupils were neat in their appearance, took pains to clean the snow from their shoes on entering the building and were well bred in general.

The primary room is in charge of Miss Mary Ogle, with the following enrollment:

Fourth Year:

Roy Strawn,
Harold Cockin,
Reuben Young,
William Watret,
Marie Chism,
Paul Kumble,
Ruth Edmonds,
Byron Hubbs.

Third Grade:

George Cockin,
Tracy Hermes,
Frank Ryman,
Hester Andrews,
Eva Cockin,
Fannie Marrow.

Second Year:

Laurence Paterson,
Percy Davenport,
Clifford Walsh,
Emma West,
Christina Young.

First Year:

Darl West,
Lesse West,
Howard Marrow,
Louis Marrow,
Amelia Mueller,
Dwight Chism,
Blanch Edmonds.

Ruth Cockin,

John Cockin,
John Ryman,
Irene Wood,
Truette Six,
Earl Strawn,
Helen Lindsey,
Mable Lindsey,
Wilbur Kumble,
Carl Mason,
Lola Trent.

Language, arithmetic,

geography, reading, writing, spelling.

The advanced room is in charge of C. L. N. stars with the following enrollment:

Eighth Year:

John Colwell,
Frank Colwell,
Albion Moore,
Albert Moore,
Marguerite Reil,
Laurie Mason,
May Wood,
Lyle Strawn,
Bertha Ryan.

Seventh Year:

William Colwell,
May Edmonds,
Pearl Knows.

Sixth Year:

Elizabeth Reil,
Edwin Young,
Hazel Wilner,
Margaret Harrison,
Donald Walsh,
Philip Hohman,
Philip Weigand,
Mable Howard,
George Wackarla,
Scott Davenport,
Lola Ryan.

Fifth Year:

Vivian Strawn,
Frances Hermes,
Fred Hermes,
Eliad Cockin,
Herschel Howard,
Olive Smith,
Chester Watret,
John Hohman.

Fourth Year:

Mary Reil,
Martha Mason,
Margaret Young,
Frank Hermes,
Ada Weigand.

Third Year:

Studies—Arithmetic, grammar, spelling, geography, history, physiology, reading, writing.

All of the eighth year class passed central examination this year, with averages ranging from 81.1-8 to 91.3-4.

MASS MEETING.
There will be held a mass meeting at Joy Prairie on Friday, the 8th, at 1:30 p. m. sharp, for the purpose of organizing a company to erect a grain elevator at Joy Prairie.

This is certainly a good move and our people should be deeply interested in the enterprise. Every farmer should be present on this occasion and air his views one way or the other. By order, etc. D. K. McCarty.

GOING TO PEORIA.
Fred Turner, who has been the capable manager of Swift & company's local plant for some time, has been promoted to the management of the company's affairs in Peoria and expects soon to start for his new field of labor. Harry Barber, who is to take Mr. Turner's place, arrived from Chicago last Saturday and will assume charge. Mr. Turner's friends will wish him success in his new home.

PARTITION SALE.
Of valuable residence property, situated on East State street in Jacksonville, Morgan county, Illinois, and known as the "Grierson Property," State of Illinois, Morgan County, Morgan County Circuit Court, November term, A. D. 1911.

Charles H. Grierson, et al., vs. Robert K. Grierson, et al.; partition. In pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Morgan county, in the state of Illinois, rendered in the above entitled cause, at the November term, A. D. 1911, thereof, I, John P. Clark, master in chancery of said county, will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, on Thursday, March 14, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m. at the south door of the court house, in the city of Jacksonville, in said county, on the terms hereinafter mentioned, the premises mentioned in said decree and described as follows, to-wit:

The east half of lot eight (8) in Grierson's first addition to Jacksonville, lot (9) in Grierson's second addition, and fifty (50) feet off of the east end of out lot twenty (20) in Grierson's second addition to Jacksonville, except the right of way owned by the Wabash Railroad company, successor of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad company, of said fifty feet of said out lot twenty, all situated in Morgan county, Illinois; the said premises will be sold in lots or parcels, as platted and subdivided by the commissioners appointed to make partition in the above entitled cause described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 1, being sixty-four (64) feet off of the east side of lot nine (9) in Grierson's second addition to Jacksonville, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the south line of said lot 9, in said addition, sixty-four (64) feet west of the southeast corner thereof, thence running west sixty-three (63) feet, thence running north to the southerly right of way line of the Wabash Railroad company, formerly the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad company, thence running southeasterly along said southerly right of way line to a point due north of the place of beginning, thence south to the place of beginning.

Lot No. 2, being part of said lot nine (9) in Grierson's second addition to Jacksonville, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the south line of said lot 9, in said addition, one hundred twenty-seven (127) feet west of the southeast corner thereof, thence running west sixty-three (63) feet, thence running north to the southerly right of way line of the Wabash Railroad company, formerly the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad company, thence running southeasterly along said southerly right of way line to a point due north of the place of beginning, thence south to the place of beginning.

Lot No. 3, being part of said lot nine (9) in Grierson's second addition to Jacksonville, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the south line of said lot 9, in said addition, one hundred ninety (190) feet west of the southeast corner thereof, running thence west eighty (80) feet, thence north to the southerly right of way line of the Wabash Railroad company, formerly the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad company, thence running in a southeasterly direction along said southerly right of way line to a point due north of the place of beginning, thence south to the place of beginning.

Lot No. 4, being part of lot nine (9) in Grierson's second addition to Jacksonville, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the south line of said lot 9, in said addition, one hundred ninety (190) feet west of the southeast corner thereof, running thence west eighty (80) feet, thence north to the southerly right of way line of the Wabash Railroad company, formerly the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad company, thence running in a southeasterly direction along said southerly right of way line to a point due north of the place of beginning, thence south to the place of beginning.

Lot No. 5, being parts of lot nine (9), and out lot twenty (20) in Grierson's second addition to Jacksonville, and a part of lot eight (8) in Grierson's first addition to Jacksonville, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the south line of said lot 9, two hundred seventy (270) feet west of the southeast corner of said west of the southeast corner of said lot 9, running thence south eighty (80) feet to a point on the south line of said lot 8 in Grierson's first addition fifty (50) feet west of the southeast corner of said lot 8 in said Grierson's first addition, thence running north to the southerly right of way line of the Wabash Railroad company, formerly the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad company, thence running southeasterly along said southerly right of way line to a point due north of the place of beginning, thence running south to the place of beginning.

Terms of sale: Cash in hand on day of sale.
John P. Clark,
Master in Chancery.
Kirby, Wilson & Baldwin,
Solicitors for Complainants.
Dated this February 13, 1912.

TRIAL OF PACKERS

Government May Rest Its Case Tomorrow — Corporate Statements Read to Jury.

Chicago, March 5.—The government expects to rest its case in the trial of the ten meat packers to-morrow or Thursday.

The trial which began Dec. 6, was materially shortened to day when both sides agreed to have read to the jury stipulated corporate statements describing the organization and financial condition of the four companies controlled by the defendants instead of calling a score of witnesses to prove the facts.

The first of these statements was that of Armour & Co., which was read to the jury in the afternoon by Government Counsel Pierce Butler. It showed that the company was incorporated in 1900 with a capital stock of \$20,000,000 and has a surplus of \$70,000,000. Government Counsel James M. Sheehan introduced in evidence bank checks, amounting to \$350,000 which were used by the National Packing company in purchasing the New York Butchers' Dressed Meat company in 1907.

When the government rests its case the defense will make a formal motion asking Judge Carpenter to instruct the jury to return a verdict of not guilty in the case of each defendant on the ground that the government's proof is insufficient. The argument on this motion will occupy several days.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
John Rolfe to Samuel B. Powers, nee 4 se 1/4 in 30-16-12; \$2,800.
Fred K. Parks to John F. Tholen, lots in old plat of Chapin; \$1.
Edward Challens to James A. Whitlock, 37 acres south end w 1/4 nw 1/4; \$8,550.
George Tholen to L. W. Caldwell, part lots 66 and 67 in Duncan Grove addition.

F. J. Blackburn to T. B. Fozzard, land in 31-16-10; \$12,730.

LICENSED TO MARRY.
Noble H. Scott, Payson; L. Gertrude Bond, Franklin.
Robert R. Glenn, Ashland; Mary Elizabeth Thomason, Jacksonville.

PROBATE COURT.
Estate of W. M. Gibson, deceased. Inventory approved.
Estate of Mary E. Smith, Petition heard and allowed and letters to issue to Cornelia Elliott and Frank Elliott.

Estate of Frederick Easter, deceased. Petition for letters adm. allowed and same to issue to J. Parker Doan.

PASSAVENT HOSPITAL NOTES.
Frank Oberman, the brakeman who was injured in the recent "Q" wreck at Lowder and J. B. Bates, the baggage man, have recovered sufficiently as to return to their homes in Beardstown.

W. J. Chilton returned to his home in Beardstown yesterday. Mrs. J. H. Charlton of Winchester has recovered from her recent illness at Passavant hospital and returned to her home Tuesday.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY.
Perry Lacey of Chapin, who has been visiting his father east of the city, sustained a broken arm Tuesday morning while driving to city, when his team ran away, throwing him out of the vehicle. One bone in his right arm was fractured just above the wrist. Mr. Lacey went to the office of Dr. J. M. Wolfe, where he received the necessary surgical attention.

A MESSAGE TO WOMEN.
A. Patterson, N. J., young woman, Miss Elizabeth Bushloper, written a message to the women of America that will be of great value to those who heed it. She says:

"Every spring for some years I have been debilitated, having general weakness and feeling tired and worn out all the time. This spring I determined I would fight it off with Vinol. Vinol has done all that was claimed for it. It has given me new strength and vigor, I can eat heartily and my sleep is light and refreshing. I wished every tired woman could know what great good Vinol would do to her." Spring is the most trying time of year for most people, and it is well to know that Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron remedy without oil, is the most valuable spring medicine.

Its blood enriching and strengthening effects are just what our needs, and as we will certainly give back your money if you are not satisfied with Vinol you ought to get a bottle right away. Lee P. Alcott, druggist, Jacksonville, Ill., and other druggists.

HOW TO HAVE GOOD HAIR.
Keep the scalp free from dirt, and germs of dandruff and baldness, for this purpose nothing equals Mrs. Mason's Old English Shampoo Cream, the product of a famous English hair specialist. 25c a tube at Lee P. Alcott.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.
In the matter of the estate of W. P. Harris, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned administrator of the estate of W. P. Harris, deceased, have caused my final report and account as such administrator to be placed on file in the office of the clerk of the county court of Morgan county and that I shall apply to said court on Monday, the first day of April, A. D. 1912, at 9 o'clock a. m. of that day, or as soon thereafter as I can be heard, for an order of approval of said report and account, and for a final order of distribution and discharge, which time and place all persons interested can appear and show cause, if any they have, why such order and discharge should not be granted.

W. H. H. Harris,
Administrator.
J. B. Lombard was a business visitor in the city Tuesday from Waverly.

Satisfying Smokers

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Kansas City Flyer 3:31 a.m.

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Kansas C-St. L. local 10:21 a.m.

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No. 47, daily ex. Sunday 11:22 a.m.

No. 11, daily ex. Sunday 4:50 p.m.

South Bound—

No. 12, daily except Sunday 6:55 a.m.

No. 48, daily ex. Sunday 2:08 p.m.

Wabash.

East Bound—

No. 72, local frt ex-Sun. 11:17 a.m.

No. 59, Springfield ac. 6:19 p.m.

No. 2, daily 8:23 p.m.

No. 28, daily 1:48 a.m.

No. 4, daily 8:28 a.m.

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W. at Bound.

No. 9, daily 2:02 p.m.

No. 73, local frt ex-Sun. 2:25 p.m.

No. 3, daily 7:06 a.m.

No. 15, daily 5:11 p.m.

No. 51, Hannibal ac. 10:20 a.m.

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No. 36, daily 7:40 a.m.

No. 38, daily 3:40 p.m.

No. 38, Sun. only 6:00 p.m.

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